GOOD PICTURES ECHEDULED ELBA THEATRE PROGRAM

Tonight at the Elba Theatre, a classic of the screen in which a brilliant array of stars and the midshipmen from the U. S. Naval Academy are cast, will be featured for the last time, when "Annapolis Farewell," starring Sir Guy Standing, Richard Cromwell, Rosalind Keith, Tom Brown and numerous other stars will be presented. "Annapolis Farewell" was one of the leading pictures for 1935 and will furnish excellent entertainment.

"The Judgment Book," starring Conway Tearle, Bernadine Hayes and Howard H. Lang, will be featured Friday and Saturday, together with the 12th installment of the Tom Mix Serial, "The Miracle Rider."

"Two For Tonight," Bing Crosby's greatest screen hit, will be at the Elba Theatre Sunday at 2:00 and 8:30 p.m. and Monday night at 7:30 o'clock. Bing and Joan Bennett, The "Mississippi" sweethearts, are together again in a rollicking big time musical show with five hit tunes. Included in the cast are Bing Crosby, Joan Bennett, Mary Boland, Thelma Todd and Lynne Overman.

Cary Grant, Claude Rains and Gertrude Michael are brought together in a fascinating screen hit next Wednesday and Thursday in "The Last Outpost," one of the most popular shows of the season, in which a thrilling plot and excellent acting are combined to furnish the best entertainment.

ASSOCIATIONAL COUNCIL TO MEET

There will be a meeting of the members of the Associational Council of the Baptist Churches of Coffee County at Enterprise on Tuesday, March 10, 1936, beginning at 10 a.m. This meeting will be attended by Sunday School leaders of all churches and pastors. We wish to have all our churches represented at this meeting. Mr. John Maguire of the Department of Education and Training of the Baptist State Executive Board, will be present at this meeting. Sunday School superintendents, teachers, and other workers are urged to attend this meeting at the Enterprise Baptist Church.

J. A. CARNLEY, Chmn.,
Associational Council.

SEAY CLUB MET MONDAY MORNING AT SCHOOL—

The Seay Aspiration Club met last Monday morning at their regular meeting place. The meeting was called to order by the president, Anna Hanlin, and business was discussed.

After the business session, the following program was presented by the program committee:

The Childhood of Lincoln—Corrinne Bonneau.

His Older Years—Clara Dell Wise.

The Gettysburg Address—Helen Jones.

The Perfect Tribute—Necia Boutwell.

A Letter From Lincoln—Martha Ham.

HELEN JONES,
Reporter.

SEVEN ELBA STUDENTS AT UNIVERSITY OF ALABAMA

UNIVERSITY, Ala., Mar. 4.—A recent survey of the students enrolled in the University of Alabama shows that there are seven students from Elba.

They are: Robert L. Cooper, Coleman D. Hamm, Robert L. Marsh, Eris F. Paul, Dan F. Prescott, Harvey A. Waters and Jefferson A. Carnley, Jr.

Mrs. Annie Waters came down Sunday from Montgomery to visit relatives.

Mrs. L. Gunnels of Opp visited friends in Elba Sunday.

DEACONS-BROTHERHOOD MEETING

The regular Deacons and Brotherhood Meeting will be held at Enterprise Thursday, March 12. The following program has been announced:

4:00 p.m.—Devotional, by S. A. Beall.

"What the Pastor Can Do to Promote the Work of the Women"—Mrs. B. S. Franklin.

"What the Women Can Do to Promote the Work of the Pastor"—Rev. W. M. Bush.

5:30—Supper served in the basement of the church.

6:30—Organ prelude.

Hymn by the congregation; prayer.

Special music.

"What We Are Trying to Do In Our Associational Work"—Rev. C. A. Johnson.

"Some Things I Would Do If I Were a Pastor"—W. T. Whitman.

"Some Things I Would Do If I Were a Deacon"—Rev. J. D. Willingham.

—Committee.

THE PUBLIC HEALTH NURSE

The public health nurse is a constructive force for the betterment of the individual, the family, and the community health. Her work has two aspects: It is educational, and preventive. It is not a simple task to uproot habits which have become deeply entrenched, especially when they are to be supplanted by other habits which are or seem to be less convenient or comfortable. Here is the public health nurse's first opportunity and responsibility—to explain and demonstrate to individuals the principle of personal hygiene and to help them apply it in their every-day living in their homes and schools and their workshops.

Her second function is that of prevention of disease through early recognition of symptoms and thru persuading men and women to seek medical advice before they are ill. Preventive measures include the supervision of expectant mothers, the supervision of the health of babies and pre-school children, efforts to have the physical defects of children diagnosed and corrected, to assist in improving the sanitary conditions of homes and school buildings, to find undiscovered cases of tuberculosis, scarlet fever and other communicable diseases, and to stimulate the acceptance of protective measures for the prevention of diphtheria, scarlet fever, typhoid fever and other diseases. These and many other preventive activities are part of her daily routine.

In some organizations the public health nurse gives actual nursing care but where we only have one nurse and a large county it would be impossible to offer nursing care to the sick, but she is able to demonstrate sick-room hygiene in cases of typhoid or other communicable diseases. The nurse as a factor in the health education of the community, through lectures, classes, exhibits and other similar means which she may employ for attracting the public attention—all in the cause of better personal and public health.

Public health nurses are usually employed in the local health organization. This means some outlay, either by the taxpayers or voluntary community group; in the same way it means an outlay for the business man to have a lawyer to keep him clear of the courts. And for you, just as that business man, PREVENTION PAYS IN THE END, AND PAYS WELL.

NINA NEWTON,
County Nurse.

Miss Henrietta Coston of Troy was the week-end guest of her mother, Mrs. W. H. Coston.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Marley spent the week-end in Brundidge with Mr. and Mrs. Escar Marley.

Political Announcements

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of County Commissioner from the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to action of the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your influence and support will be appreciated.

WILLIS WILSON.

(Paid political advertisement by Willis Wilson, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of County Commissioner from the Northwest District of Coffee County, subject to action of the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

J. C. WISE.

(Paid political advertisement by J. C. Wise, Elba, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COMMISSIONER SOUTH-WEST DISTRICT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee, subject to the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

L. F. YOUNG.

(Paid political advertisement by L. F. Young, Elba, Ala., Rt. 4.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of County Commissioner from the Northwest District of Coffee County, subject to the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

FOUNTAIN LEE.

(Paid political advertisement by Fountain Lee, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries to be held in May and June, this year. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

W. A. EIDSON.

(Paid political advertisement by W. A. Eidson, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

J. CURTIS DONALDSON.

(Paid political adv. by J. Curtis Donaldson, Elba, Alabama, Rt. 2.)

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Education, for Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held in 1936. Your vote and support will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,
A. C. DUNAWAY.

(Paid political advertisement by A. C. Dunaway, Kinston, Ala.)

FOR MEMBER SCHOOL BOARD

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

W. D. CROOK.

(Paid political advertisement by W. D. Crook, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR MEMBER SCHOOL BOARD

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination to the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

W. J. BROWN.

(Paid political advertisement by W. J. Brown, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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DOVE JOHNSON.

(Paid political advertisement by Dove Johnson, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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W. J. BULLARD.

(Paid political advertisement by W. J. Bullard, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner from the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held this summer. Your influence and vote will be highly appreciated.

M. M. GODWIN.

(Paid political adv. by W. M. Godwin, New Brockton, Ala., R. 2.)

Elba Theatre PROGRAM

TONIGHT—Last Times—
RICHARD CROMWELL
—And—
ROSALIND KEITH
—In—
"ANNAPOLIS FAREWELL"
—With—
TOM BROWN, SIR GUY STANDING AND THE MIDSHIPMEN OF THE U. S. NAVAL ACADEMY

Friday-Saturday, March 6-7—
CONWAY TEARLE
—In—
"JUDGMENT BOOK"
—With—
BERNADINE HAYES
—Also—
Twelfth Chapter
"MIRACLE RIDER"
—Starring—
TOM MIX And TONY, Jr.

Sunday, 2 & 8:30 p.m.; Monday, 7:30 p.m.—
BING CROSBY
—And—
JOAN BENNETT
—In—
"TWO FOR TONIGHT"
—With—
MARY BOLAND, LYNNE OVERMAN, THELMA TODD

Wednesday-Thursday, Mar. 11-12—
CARY GRANT
—In—
"THE LAST OUTPOST"
—With—
CLAUDE RAINS And GERTRUDE MICHAEL

HI SCHOOL MUSIC CLUB HAS INTERESTING PROGRAM—

The High School Music Club was delightfully entertained on last Wednesday afternoon when Martha Frances Dowling and Marguerite Edmondson were joint hostesses at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oswell Dowling.

The living room and dining room were beautifully decorated with jonquils and daffodils.

A brief business session was conducted by the president, June English.

With Sara Talbot as leader, the following program was rendered:

Dudley Buck—Ruby Spurlin.

Harry Rowe Shelley—Syble Rowell.

Piano Duet—Jean and Catherine Brunson.

J. C. D. Parker—Mary Ellen Farris.

Leopold Damrosch—June English.

Piano Solo—Maggie Dean Clark.

Walter Damrosch—Corinne Bonneau.

Piano Duet—Nell English and Marjorie Brunson.

During the social hour, a delicious salad course with iced drink was served by Mrs. Edmondson, Mrs. Dowling and little Mary Oswell Dowling.

Mrs. Mayo Prescott was a guest of the club.

Mrs. M. S. Carmichael, Miss Caroline Carmichael and Mrs. Byron Thompson of Montgomery were visitors to Elba Tuesday.

Mrs. Pauline Borders returned to her home in Clayton last Thursday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan.

Mrs. F. H. Murphree and Mrs. W. M. Ringsdorf spent Saturday in Dothan.

Misses Helen Brown and Lola Taylor were guests Sunday of Misses Myrtle and Mary Annie Donaldson.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walker of Tallahassee, Fla., were recent visitors to Elba, guests of Misses Nettie Ruth and Mollie Blue Walker.

Prof. James M. Farris of Birmingham visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. B. Farris, in Elba Saturday. He holds a responsible position with the County Board of Education in Jefferson County. His many friends in the county are always glad to see him on his visits to the old home.

Mr. and Mrs. Otho Rowe of Enterprise visited Elba relatives the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Thomas and daughters of Dothan were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kendrick Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brown of near Opp were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Comer DeVane.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Folsom will leave Friday for Quincey, Mass., where they will make their home for the next six months. Mr. Folsom will be in the employ of the U. S. Navy in the Bethlehem Ship-Building Works.

Miss Susie Colquitt was the guest of Misses Myrtle and Mary Annie Donaldson Thursday after-

FOR MEMBER OF CONGRESS

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Member of Congress from the Third Congressional District of Alabama, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 5, 1936.

JAMES E. FOLSOM.

(Paid political advertisement by James E. Folsom, Elba, Alabama.)

METHODIST WOMEN GUESTS OF MRS. HUGHES MONDAY—

The regular meeting of the Methodist W. M. S. was held with Mrs. W. J. Hughes at the Parsonage Monday afternoon, March 2nd, for Mission Study.

Mrs. J. M. Rowe presided and directed the program. The meeting was opened with a song, "I Love To Tell The Story." Mrs. D. C. Marley gave the devotional and led in prayer.

During the business session Mrs. Marley presided and routine business was transacted. Group singing followed.

Mrs. Jack Lee gave the history of the local church, the contribution of the church, its pastors and members to the enrichment of community life.

Prayer: Thanksgiving to God for the faith and courage which the pioneer missionaries had—Mrs. W. J. Hughes.

Mrs. J. M. Rowe very interestingly introduced the course of study, "Toward A Christian America." Sketches of the careers of Samuel J. Mills, Samuel A. Worchester and Marcus Whitman were given by Mrs. J. M. Garrett, Mrs. Hughes and Mrs. Corrie Bryant.

The careers of these missionaries were followed with questions and answers from the first three chapters reviewed.

Mrs. Ringsdorf closed the program with prayer, that "God may help us and all Christian people in the United States to a sympathetic understanding of Home Missions."

The meeting next Monday will be with Mrs. Harris Murphree at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon.

FACULTY CLUB HAS TWO INTERESTING MEETINGS—

In her usual charming manner, Mrs. W. M. Brunson entertained the members of the Elba faculty at a luncheon on February 18th. The guests enjoyed a delicious plate, which was served by Mrs. Brunson and Miss Mabel Brunson.

The members of the Elba Faculty Club met at the home of Mrs. Mayo Prescott on Thursday evening, February 27th. After a brief business meeting, the following program was rendered:

"Just Imagine"—Mary Marsh.

Reading, "When Malinda Sings"—Mrs. Dana Perdue.

Games were directed by Mrs. Greil Tillman.

Upon completion of the program, representatives of the faculty and of the high school classes presented Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ward gifts from the faculty and from the classes.

MRS. PERDUE PRESENTS PUPILS IN RECITAL—

Mrs. Dana Perdue, teacher of expression in the Elba schools, presented her pupils in recital last Friday night at 8 o'clock at the city school auditorium.

The stage was set with an attractive arrangement of pot plants, blooming flowers and shrubs. Mrs. Perdue carefully selected the numbers on her program to give variety of entertainment.

Those taking part on the program were: Nina English, Lamar Rainer, Harold Watkins, Betty Ann Bryan, Levy Morrow, Jr., Maragem Whitman, Jimmy Farris, Roy Frances Watkins, Martha Wright, Ruth Nevels, Charles Bryan, Mary Louise Morgan, Miriam Wise, Edwin Cooper, Nona Braswell, George Lamar Collier, Peggy Blue, Jimmy Childs, Martha Edmondson, Myrtle Farris, Cora Nell Ham, Mrs. Greil Tillman and Mrs. Walter Jackson.

Mesdames J. W. Kendrick, Jerry Hilliard and Walter Whitman, Jr., were visitors to Dothan Friday afternoon.

90 CASES OF MUMPS AT TROY ORPHANAGE PAST FEW WKS.

Dr. J. O. Colley, superintendent of the Baptist Orphanage at Troy, states that about 90 children at the Orphanage have had the mumps the past few weeks. A few days ago 80 cases were reported.

Dr. Colley said the children had mild cases and are all improving. He also stated that the children have not had the influenza.

Brazil's minister of labor, industry and commerce recently inspected exhibits of Brazilian merchandise preparatory to shipping them to New York for a permanent commercial exposition.

Dividends have been paid for 35 years on 450 shares of stock lying in a sunken ship in San Francisco's Golden Gate.

More than 43,000,000 acres of Nebraska farm and ranch land have been mapped by government soil scientists.

"I'm sorry for him," said Mrs. C. P. Jay of a thief who stole a pie from her cafe in Downey, Cal. The pie, baked for a practical joke, contained red pepper.

For a year Miss Anna Shromek of Chicago complained of a pain in the neck; when the doctor looked down her throat he found a needle an inch and a half long.

Go to Sunday School Sunday.

Lady Took Cardui When Weak, Nervous

"I can't say enough for Cardui if I talked all day," enthusiastically writes Mrs. L. H. Caldwell, of Statesville, N. C. "I have used Cardui at intervals for twenty-five years," she adds. "My trouble in the beginning was weakness and nervousness. I read of Cardui in a newspaper and decided right then to try it. It seemed before I had taken half a bottle of Cardui I was stronger and was soon up and around."

Thousands of women testify Cardui benefited them. If it does not benefit YOU, consult a physician.

IT WAS "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" FOR MRS. BRYANT—

All of us do not know what "happy birthday" means in the different languages, but we imagine Mrs. Corrie Bryant knows what it means in plain English, because she heard it many times Saturday.

Mrs. Bryant was entertained with a surprise birthday celebration at her home on Saturday afternoon, February 29th, by members of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church. It was only her 17th birthday, but sixty-eighth year.

Friends met at the home of Mrs. W. J. Hughes, made special preparations for this happy event, later went to the home of the honoree. Upon arrival everyone shouted birthday greetings. Mrs. Bryant was overcome with joy and appreciation.

An arrangement of colorful flowers formed the decorations of the living room.

There were stunts and games—yes, games with much merriment, for outbursts of laughter echoed through the house, especially when Mrs. Bryant had to stand on one foot and recite "Mary Had A Little Lamb;" also when Mrs. J. M. Folsom and Mrs. R. L. Cooper sang a duet, "Rock-A-Bye Baby." Other entertainers were Mrs. J. M. Garrett and Mrs. Levy Morrow, when they had to "say" a different recitation at the same time, namely, "Jack and Jill," and "Twinkle, Twinkle, Little Star." Mrs. W. R. Crook and Mrs. Gordon Prescott brought a storm of applause when they stood before Mrs. Bryant and sang "Happy Birthday To You."

Mrs. Bryant was the recipient of many lovely and useful gifts, among them a beautiful birthday cake topped with 17 candles with decorations of pink flowers from the Missionary Society, a lovely memory book from Mrs. W. R. Crook, designed and made by her. In this book each guest was asked to register and write a birthday wish. Late in the afternoon, delicious refreshments were served. Guests other than members included Mrs. J. M. Folsom, Mrs. W. J. Hamm and Mrs. R. C. Bryan.

DIESEL ENGINES—National organization will interview men, mechanically inclined, to start training immediately for service and installation work. Tools furnished. Write today. Schoeck Diesel Training Division, Box 247, Elba, Alabama. m5-12.

Mrs. R. S. Boyd was called to Thomson, Ga., last Thursday on account of the critical illness of her mother, Mrs. Stone. Friends will regret to learn that Mrs. Stone passed away on Friday and extend deepest sympathy to the bereaved family.

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EVERY WEDNESDAY
HORSES AND MULES
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ENTERPRISE, ALA.

ZION CHAPEL WOMAN DIES FOLLOWING SHORT ILLNESS

Mrs. Freely H. Carr, age 75 years, passed away at her home in the Zion Chapel community last Sunday morning at ten o'clock, following an illness of two weeks. She was born in Barbour County but had made her home in Coffee for a long period of years, and had countless friends who are grieved at her passing.

Surviving are her husband, F. H. Carr; four daughters, Mrs. Pinkey Harris, Mrs. Charlie Smart, Mrs. Alden Wyrosdick, Miss Mandy Carr; three sons, Lucious, John and Hollis Carr.

Elder Jack Mitchell conducted funeral services at Zion Chapel Church Monday afternoon at two o'clock and burial followed in the church cemetery. Bonneau-Jeter had charge of arrangements.

TOTSIE MAE HARPER IS HOSTESS TO G. A. MEMBERS—

The regular weekly meeting of the G. A.'s was held last Thursday afternoon at the home of Totsie Mae Harper. The meeting was called to order by the president, Gladys Whitman. After business discussion, the following program was rendered:

Bible Reading—Agnes Pinckard.

Prayer—Henrietta Lee.

A Story, "Juan of Villa Acuna"—Helen Jones.

The meeting was dismissed with the watchword. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and her brother, Donald Harper.

HELEN JONES, Reporter.

NELLIE FRANCES BALLARD

Nellie Frances Ballard, four years of age, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Ballard, who live on Elba Route 3, passed away at the home of her parents on last Thursday, following a three-day illness of diphtheria.

She is survived by her parents, two sisters and three brothers. Funeral services were held at Alberton Church Friday afternoon by Rev. M. L. Carnley, with burial in the church cemetery. Bonneau-Jeter had charge of arrangements.

Misses Nell Brock and Alice McKinnon visited friends in Union Springs last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Fleming spent Monday in Montgomery.

FOUND AT LAST!

The Famous Q-623—guaranteed relief for Rheumatism, Neuritis, Sciatica, Lumbago—is now available to all sufferers from these tortures. Q-623 is a prescription of a famous specialist that has worked wonders for thousands of people when many other remedies have failed. We ask you to try this famous prescription, as it is absolutely guaranteed to help you. A few doses usually stops the pain, and many people say "it is worth its weight in gold." And if you are bothered with functional bladder and urinary irritations, or need a stimulant diuretic for the kidneys, try Q-Tabs—a highly effective prescription tablet.

PEOPLES DRUG STORE
May Bldg.—Elba, Ala.

FOUR-YEAR-OLD CHILD IS VICTIM OF TRUCK ACCID'NT

(Opp Weekly News)

The four-year-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Rabb Watson, who live near Sanford, was killed Monday when it fell from a lumber truck, on the Andalusia highway just out of Sanford.

Mrs. Watson was riding in the seat of the truck with one of her brothers, driver of the vehicle, it is stated, and the child was on the rear of the truck with another brother of Mrs. Watson's who also had a child of his own along. The truck did not have a body but was just coupled together for hauling logs and lumber. The two children are said to have fallen from the truck and the Watson child was killed, with one of the wheels passing over it, while the other child was uninjured.

Funeral services were conducted at Bethel Tuesday, with Rev. Farmer officiating, and burial was performed in the cemetery there.

E. H. S. LITERARY CLUB MET MONDAY P. M.—

Edward's Educational Club met Monday, March 2nd. The meeting was called to order by the president and after the minutes were read, the following program was rendered:

The Psalm of Life—Martha Mullins.

Life of Benjamin Franklin—Sarah Young.

Thomas A. Edison—Frances Conner.

Robert E. Lee—Douglas Easters.

Andrew Jackson—Lister Brunson.

Richard E. Byrd—Mildred Rhodes.

Robert E. Perry—Cora Nell Ham.

JAMES DeVANE, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Donaldson were week-end guests of their daughters, Misses Myrtle and Mary Annie Donaldson.

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Atlanta, Ga.

February 20, 1936

Mr. J. F. Brunson, Manager
Elba Merchants Exchange
Elba, Alabama

Dear Mr. Brunson:

Our records indicate that today marks the first anniversary of the opening with us of the account of Elba Merchants Exchange.

I feel it appropriate on this occasion to tell you and your associates again of the definite pride we have in this relationship, and of the deep satisfaction with which we look back upon the pleasant dealings which have characterized it.

I also consider it not inappropriate to express the hope that you, likewise, have found satisfaction in the relationship, and that it may endure for a long time to come, becoming closer and firmer as time strengthens it.

With kindnest personal regards and very best wishes, I am

Sincerely yours,
J. ARCH AVARY, Jr.,
lm Assistant Vice President.

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County Teachers Vote To Close Schools In Meeting Held At Elba Saturday

Coffee County elementary schools were closed last Friday because sufficient revenue has not been provided by the State of Alabama. Teachers met pupils on Monday morning with this announcement and sent them back home.

Teachers in the schools voted "no" on a proposal to continue the schools "on faith" until the outcome of proposed legislation was learned. That is to say a majority of teachers are against continuation. It is said that 56 teachers voted no on the proposal, 27 voted to continue and a number did not express themselves.

The action was taken at a county-wide teachers' meeting held in Elba Saturday. Funds for running the schools were exhausted with the week ending Friday. Directors of the Teachers' Association held a meeting last Wednesday and ordered the meeting Saturday to ascertain the wishes of the teachers.

The elementary schools have completed five months and three weeks of the customary seven months term. Accredited high schools will close on April 17th, according to announcement made several days ago by Supt. W. A. Eidson, unless arrangements are made for further revenue. At that time the high schools will have completed seven months and three weeks.

There are four accredited high schools in the county, namely, Coffee County High at Enterprise, New Brockton, Elba, and Kinston. Elementary schools in Enterprise will continue for an indefinite period, according to announcement, and it has been stated in Elba that the elementary school will continue for a few weeks longer.

Approximately 138 teachers employed in the county elementary schools are now without positions, and prospects are very dim for any immediate relief. It is estimated that more than 4,000 children in the rural sections are affected and will be deprived of the advantages that should be theirs.

ONE MORE WEEK AND OTHER NAMES WILL BE CUT OFF

The Clipper has tried to give fair notice to all delinquent subscribers that we intend dropping their names from the list unless we receive remittance sufficient to put these accounts in good shape, and this is just a reminder that only one more issue of the paper will be mailed to delinquents.

March 20 is the day set as the dead line, and we positively mean that all names in arrears will go off the list at that time. In the first place, it is a violation of the postal regulations for us to continue sending out papers which have not been paid for. In the second place, subscriptions are CASH IN ADVANCE—that has been the policy of the paper ever since it was founded. However, we have allowed many to run during the past few years on account of business conditions. In the third place, we are not financially able to print and mail out the paper on credit. If we did there are a lot of people who would take it out of their mail boxes, read it and never pay one penny for it. We know this from experience and still have the records on file in our office.

If you want the paper, you will not neglect your renewal any longer. Unless you have paid up and are now ahead, remember that this paper and one next week is all you will receive.

LEE-DEAL—

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee announce the engagement of their daughter, Dixie, to Marvin Harold Deal, the wedding to take place at an early date.

Friends of Miss Era Lunsford will be glad to know that she is able to return to her work after a week's illness from flu.

Mrs. Sam Rowe, Mrs. P. G. Mathis, Misses Lillian Rowe, Mary Lee and Mollie Cook spent Wednesday in Montgomery.

"BARGAIN DAY" AT ELBA THEATRE EVERY TUESDAY

The Elba Theatre has inaugurated a new feature in its weekly programs which should prove to be very popular with movie fans. In the future every Tuesday will be "Bargain Day," when every member of the family should come out and enjoy a good show for the unusually low price of 10c for any age. Every show will be a featured attraction. Shows start at 3:00 o'clock in the afternoon and at 7:30 at night. Tuesday shows will feature pictures for one day only.

Tonight, Cary Grant, Claude Rains and Gertrude Michael star in the grandest adventure ever written for the screen, when "The Last Outpost" will be presented for the last time in Elba.

George O'Brien, favorite of thousands of Western fans, heads the program for Friday and Saturday in "Thunder Mountain," a Fox picture. He is supported in the cast by Barbara Tritchie, Frances Grant and Morgan Wallace. And don't forget the 13th installment of Tom Mix's thrilling serial, "The Miracle Rider."

"Barbary Coast," a miracle of the screen, featuring Miriam Hopkins, Edward G. Robinson and Joel McCrea, is scheduled for Sunday afternoon and night and Monday night. Miss Hopkins soars to greater heights as "Barbary Coast" than ever before attained.

For Tuesday night's 10-cent show, James Dunn, lovable screen bachelor, heads the cast in "Bad Boy," with Louise Fazenda and Victor Kilian.

On Wednesday and Thursday, March 18-19, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Bonnie Scotland," with a favorite cast of leading stars, will be presented.

DORSEY-HUTCHISON WEDDING SOLEMNIZED IN TROY—

The marriage of Miss Katherine Lowe Hutchison and Claude Eugene Dorsey, Jr., of Elba, was quietly solemnized Saturday morning at an early hour at the home of the bride on Murphree Street, which was beautifully decorated with early Spring flowers effectively arranged.

Dr. James H. Ivey, pastor of the First Baptist Church, officiated, using the sacred and impressive ring ceremony in the presence of the immediate families and a few intimate friends.

The bride is the older daughter of Mrs. Bessie Hutchison, and is a lovely young woman with winsome manner. She was stylishly attired for her marriage in a navy blue traveling costume trimmed in fur, with harmonizing accessories. She wore a corsage of orchids and lilies of the valley.

She attended Howard College, where she was a pledge of the Alpha Delta Pi sorority. She also studied at the Troy State Teachers College.

Mr. Dorsey attended preparatory schools at A. M. I., in Anniston, and the Baylor School in Chattanooga, Tenn. He also studied at the University of Alabama, where he was a member of the S. A. E. fraternity.

After a wedding trip to South Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Dorsey will make their home in Elba, where he is vice-president of the Dorsey Trailer Manufacturing Company.—Troy Messenger.

ANDERSON MEMORIAL SING

The Anderson memorial singing at Bethany Church, three miles South of New Brockton, will be held on the fifth Sunday, March 29. Heretofore, this annual singing has been held on the third Sunday, but last year the singers voted to change the time until the fifth Sunday. Mr. Joe M. Donaldson, chairman, asks us to make this announcement for the benefit of singers who might have forgotten about the change in time.

Mrs. B. S. Franklin, Mrs. W. T. Whitman, Mrs. Walter Whitman and Ellis Franklin were recent visitors to Birmingham.

TRIP TO CUBA OFFERS FINE VACATION FOR ONE WEEK

The trip to Havana, Cuba, which will be made by the Alabama Press Association in June will be one of the finest short vacation trips ever arranged. And the best part of it is that others besides members of the press have been invited to join the party, at the unusually low price of $73.15 for the all-expense trip.

This low price includes railroad fare, meals on trains, boat fare and meals on boat, hotel accommodations including meals, sight-seeing trips, besides many other entertainment features. The party will leave Montgomery Sunday morning, June 14, at 7:00 o'clock, on a special train, and will make the trip to Tampa in about half the usual time, boarding the boat before night to make the 24-hour trip to Havana. Returning the party will leave Havana some time Friday and will reach Montgomery Saturday night.

This trip would ordinarily cost twice the price named above, and this low rate is made as a special concession, to the Alabama Press Association and its friends. Indications are that a large crowd will make the trip, and those who want reservations should make them at the earliest date possible.

The Clipper is offering a free trip to any one in Elba or in the county who wants to do a little work for us. The work is subscription soliciting, and we shall be glad to give full details if you will come to see us or write, addressing your letter to the editor.

COMMITTEE CERTIFIES ALL CANDIDATES FOR PRIMARI'S

A sub-committee of the Coffee County Democratic Executive Committee met in Elba last Saturday to pass on all declarations of candidacy filed by candidates in the approaching primaries.

After looking over the papers every one was found to conform to the rules and regulations adopted by the committee and therefore were accepted without question. In all cases where it was required, fees also accompanied the declarations. By proper resolution the declarations were approved by the committee, the qualifications accepted and a list of all candidates has been filed with Probate Judge J. A. Carnley, duly certified by the chairman and secretary of the committee.

Following is a complete list of the candidates filed by the committee:

For Superintendent of Education—A. C. Dunaway and W. A. Eidson.

For Member County Board of Education—W. J. Brown and W. D. Crook.

For Commissioner, Northwest District—Fountain Lee and J. C. Wise.

For Commissioner, Southwest District—W. J. Bullard, J. Curtis Donaldson and L. F. Young.

For Commissioner, Northeast District—W. M. Godwin, Dove Johnson and Willis Wilson.

For Commissioner, Southeast District—A. J. Harrell.

For J. P. Beat 8—W. L. Baggett.

For J. P. Beat 10—J. V. Wise.

For J. P. Beat 17—Henry C. Stephenson.

For Constable, Beat 8—J. I. Helms.

For Constable, Beat 10—J. H. Bragg.

For Constable, Beat 17—H. A. Miller, W. H. Watkins.

COLQUITT- PRESCOTT WEDDING IS ANNOUNCED—

The marriage of Miss Maxine Colquitt of Andalusia, and Malcolm Prescott of Elba was solemnized in Crestview, Fla., on Saturday, February 29, at 11:00 A. M.

The bride wore a lovely spring model of grey matelasse with blue accessories. She is the daughter of Mr. James Colquitt and the late Mrs. Pearl Wilhoit Colquitt of Brantley. For some time she has held a responsible position in Andalusia, where she enjoyed wide popularity.

Mr. Prescott is the elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Prescott of Elba, and is a popular member of the young social contingent. He is associated with his father in business. The happy couple are now at home to their friends with the groom's parents.

NEW BROCKTON STUDENT IS 1ST IN ORATORICAL CONTEST

Miss Johnnie Grace Marsh of New Brockton High School has won the county championship in the oratorical contest on James Madison, sponsored by The Birmingham News-Age-Herald, and will represent Coffee County in the congressional district finals to be held early in April. The winner in the congressional district contest will compete in the State finals to be held in Birmingham April 24 for the State championship and cash prizes.

Miss Marsh is a speaker of real ability and is expected to give this county excellent representation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Horn, Miss Maud Horn, Mrs. Foster and children of Brantley visited Mrs. W. H. Coston Sunday.

Messrs. A. A. Carmichael and C. L. Rowe of Montgomery were visitors to Elba Monday evening.

"STEP CHILDREN" TYPIFY WHAT WONDERS CRIPPLED CHILDREN SEALS WILL ACCOMPLISH

Is it school that's out, or clinic that's over, or convalescent home that's discharging patients—or does it really matter? For the real point is that here are seen some of the possibilities of physical rehabilitation of boys and girls handicapped through accident or disease. Nor can one look at their cheery faces without realizing that in mind and soul as well as in body they are getting the chance they deserve to be like normal youngsters.

Funds for hospitals and schools and convalescent homes and many other means of ministering to crippled children are raised each Easter season through the Nation-wide sale of Crippled Children Seals. They are being offered to the public again, at only a penny each or a dollar per sheet of 100, through the Society for Crippled Children and its many local organizations throughout the State.

This year's Seal design shows a crippled lad with his crutch (prototype of the youngsters you see herewith) on the threshold of "The Door of Opportunity." Already it is ajar, but must be thrown wide with a generous "push" in the Seal campaign of 1936 before he can enter into the possibilities for physical restoration and mental and spiritual development that are just beyond.

By proclamation of the Governor, April 5-12 has been designated as "Crippled Children's Week" in Alabama. A copy of the proclamation follows:

"WHEREAS, We have increasingly large numbers of children in the State who suffer from handicapping conditions incident to birth, disease, or accident; and

"WHEREAS, there is great need for bringing this information to the attention of the public to the end that the moral and financial support of our citizens may be enlisted in behalf of the program for the rehabilitation of crippled children as conducted by the State Department of Education; and

"WHEREAS, the Alabama Society for Crippled Children, civic clubs, other organizations, and individuals have from time to time contributed materially to the support of the State's program for the benefit of crippled children; and

"WHEREAS, a sale of seals for the welfare of crippled children is conducted nationally at Easter time;

"NOW, THEREFORE, I, Bibb Graves, Governor of Alabama, hereby proclaim the week preceding Easter, April 5-12, next, as "CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S WEEK IN ALABAMA.

"Our citizens generally are urged to respond liberally to this annual appeal for funds with which to assist in carrying out an adequate program for the treatment, care and education of the crippled children of the State.

"IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Great Seal of the State of Alabama to be affixed at the Capitol in the City of Montgomery, this the 28th day of January, 1936.

"(Signed) BIBB GRAVES,
"Governor."

A County Organization has been formed with Supt. W. A. Eidson as chairman and Mayor P. H. Stokes of Enterprise, co-chairman. The Easter Seal Sale has been scheduled for April 5-12. The cooperation of the public is earnestly solicited, that the crippled children of the county may be helped.

The Alabama Society for Crippled Children is asking each county organization under the leadership of its chairman to raise the equivalent of one penny for each inhabitant of the county. The population of Coffee County is 32,556, making our quota $326.00. Seventy per cent of the funds raised will be spent on county children, 10 per cent will go to the International Society for Crippled Children for research work, and 20 per cent will go to the Alabama Society for hospitalizing crippled children in congested areas where funds are not available. In addition to its local funds, there will be State and Federal funds for use in each county.

MISS LEE AND MR. COLLIER ARE QUIETLY MARRIED—

An interesting wedding was that of Miss Ida Ruth Lee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ped Lee, to Milford Collier, which took place on Tuesday morning, March 3rd, at nine-thirty o'clock at the Baptist pastorium. The ceremony was performed by Rev. B. S. Franklin.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a suit of powder blue wool, with trimmings of squirrel. Her accessories were grey. She is a popular member of Elba's younger society and possesses much charm and beauty. She formerly held a responsible position with the Coffee County Relief Administration.

Mr. Collier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Collier of our city. He is popular, with a wide circle of friends, and is connected with the Morrow Mercantile Company.

Mr. and Mrs. Collier have returned from a wedding trip to points in Florida and are now residing in the home of Mrs. John Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Anderson of Pinckard were guests last Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. English.

9,130 YARDS OF CLOTH USED IN SIX WPA SEWING GROUPS

ENTERPRISE, Feb. 27.—Exactly 9,130 yards of cloth have been converted into garments in the Coffee County WPA sewing centers since October 15. This estimate, made by Mrs. Gussie Hutchinson, county director, shows the finished output from those workrooms during that time to have been 3,320 articles of wearing apparel with an average of two and three-fourths yards to the garment.

There are five centers in the county, located at Enterprise, Elba, New Brockton, Kinston and New Hope. A local forewoman is in charge of each center, where women WPA workers and girl NYA workers are employed. Each one of these women is the head of a family and is allowed 140 hours work a month. The youths get 46 hours.

There are 54 women and six girls in the Enterprise center; 33 women and six girls at Elba; 15 women and three girls at New Brockton; six women and one girl at Kinston; six women and one girl at New Hope.

Garments are made for men, women, boys, girls and infants. The clothing for men consists of pants, jumpers, overalls, shirts and underwear. That for boys is the same with the addition of coveralls. Garments for women and girls are dresses, coats, bonnets and underwear. Infants clothing includes dresses, slips, kimonas, saques and pads. The materials used are denim, cheviots, twill, chambry, broadcloth, outing, sheeting and prints.

A window display of this work was arranged by Mrs. Hutchinson in the city hall building on Carmichael Street Tuesday. Among the garments exhibited were men's work clothes of blue denim and khaki twill with the finished look of a commercial product, dainty rompers and baby frocks with touches of colored embroidery, old fashioned sun bonnets, dresses, shirts and underwear. Scraps left over in the cutting room, which is located in Elba, have been crocheted into rugs or made into patchwork quilts; one of puffed pattern made of pastel colored cotton broadcloth being especially beautiful.

The county director spends one day with each center every week as part of her regular routine. Extra activities recently were attending the Third District PWA Sewing Project Institute for supervisors and forewomen held in Ozark Saturday. Three of the Coffee County forewomen accompanied the director and work from the centers was entered in the general display. The day was spent in hearing talks, instructions and demonstrations given by the following district and area officers: Mrs. H. B. McQueen, Third District supervisor; Maj. C. R. Hopper, area superintendent; Miss Victoria Lingo, Miss Curtis, Miss Wilma Bucy and Mrs. Florence Tate.

During the present week, Mrs. Hutchinson, on request, gave an instructive lecture on her line of work at Coppinsville, a county training school for negro students.

MADDOX-GUNTER—

Of interest to a wide circle of friends was the marriage of Miss Gladys Maddox to Willie Ray Gunter of New Brockton, at an impressive ceremony performed by the Rev. B. S. Franklin, in his home, Saturday, March 7th, at high noon.

Early spring flowers made a beautiful setting for the ceremony.

The bride was becomingly gowned in a powder blue wool suit with matching accessories.

Mrs. Gunter is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Brace Maddox. She is a petite brunette and possesses a charming manner and lovely smile which has endeared her to a wide circle of friends who regret that her marriage will take her to another city to make her home. She attended Elba High School and graduated with honors in 1935.

Mr. Gunter is a young man of sterling qualities and prominently connected with the Jones Mercantile Company of New Brockton. He attended New Brockton High School, where he made a splendid record, graduating in 1934.

The young couple will make their home in New Brockton.

NAME LEFT OUT

The Clipper's attention has been called to the fact that Samuel Fleetwood Carnley's name was left out of the list of students enrolled from Elba at the University of Alabama.

This list was sent to us from the University news bureau and in the rush last week we did not check over the list carefully. We are sorry this error occurred and are glad to make the correction.

Miss Emmie Banks of Opp spent the week-end in Elba with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Banks.

Miss Mildred Lee of Opp spent the week-end in Elba with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Lee.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Kimmey and two sons have returned to their home in Clanton after spending several days in Elba, guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. English.

About People and Things
By C. B. McDowell

TOWNSEND MEETING—A large number of Townsendites assembled in the Elba circuit court room Saturday afternoon and perfected the organization of the Elba Townsend Club, with 114 members, which gives it major club standing. Constitution and by-laws were adopted. The audience then went downstairs, where a large crowd had assembled, and listened to addresses by Mr. Snellgrove of Montgomery and Mr. Troth of San Francisco, Calif. Messrs. Snellgrove and Troth had just returned from Enterprise, where they spoke to a large audience. They also contacted a number of persons at New Brockton.

Speaking from the west steps of the Elba courthouse, Mr. Snellgrove gave a clear and earnest explanation of the purposes and workings of the Townsend Plan, after which he introduced Mr. Troth, who probably is as well versed on the history and progress of the movement as anybody in the whole country. He stated that he is a charter member of the first club formed, which was in San Diego, Calif. He told how the founder, Dr. R. E. Townsend, was shaving in his bathroom in his home in San Diego. He glanced out the window and saw three elderly women digging garbage out of a garbage can. He called to his wife and took a vow: "I'm going to make it my life-work to try to let the nation know about such conditions and formulate a plan to correct them." How well he has succeeded is attested by the fact that the Townsend Plan, which was born there in Dr. Townsend's bathroom, has surged like a mighty tidal wave all over the country until there are more than 5,000 clubs, in every State in the Union, with from 100 to 17,000 members each, with 25 new clubs being added each week.

Mr. Troth says his membership number in the San Francisco club is 10,656 and there are many who have joined since he did. He said he has traveled from California to Florida and he finds intense interest in the Townsend Plan everywhere he goes. He said the movement is so strong and widespread in California that a candidate cannot be elected to any office unless he endorses the Townsend Plan. Similar conditions exist in many other States. Mr. Troth gave a clear and concise description of the Plan and urged all his hearers to support James E. Folsom, whom he christened "The Tall Sycamore," in his race for Congress in the Third District. He emphasized the fact that our present Congressman had not shown the Townsend committee the common courtesy of answering its questionnaire as to whether he is for or against the Townsend Plan. Mr. Troth stated that Townsend clubs will be organized throughout the Third Congressional District. Mr. Troth, like many other sacrificial advocates of this "God-given" plan to give security to the aged, jobs to the younger people and do away with the depression by building up purchasing power to consume our burdensome surpluses, is traveling about the country, giving of his time and money, without remuneration in a financial way. However, I venture to say, Mr. Troth is getting more genuine enjoyment out of his winter's vacation than he could possibly obtain in any other way. Such a spirit will not down and is bound to bear fruit in an abundant manner.

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RECORD - BREAKER — Sales-Manager T. T. Rhodes informs me that the Emergency Aid Life Association is entering its second year in a big way, the records showing that over $250,000 of insurance was written during the past two weeks. History shows that the Emergency Aid is the first company in life insurance circles, since the year 1843, to get through its first year's business without calling on its stockholders for funds to tide it over until future business could put the company on a paying basis. According to the record, the Emergency Aid has paid its own way from the start and has paid all claims promptly and in full. Tobe Rhodes is flitting about the country at all hours of the day and night and has torn up another new car, but he and his efficient crew of agents are getting the business and putting the company over in a big way. Perhaps not all of our citizens realize or appreciate what a valuable asset the Emergency Aid is to our community.

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BIG SNAKES—Moley Boutwell and Smith Harper are telling a big snake story. They say that while they were on a fishing trip up near Horseshoe Bend they killed two of the largest rattlesnakes of the season. Their fishing expedition was turned into a snake-killing bout, with Myrt Simmons being one of the main slaughterers.

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TO CUBA — Horace Batchelor requests me to announce that he is working for a free trip to Cuba as an award for obtaining subscriptions for The Elba Clipper. Any favors shown Mr. Batchelor will be appreciated by The Clipper management.

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APPENDICITIS — Dr. W. R. Crook, Tuesday morning, carried his son, Joe, and 15-year-old Harvey Macon to a hospital in Troy, suffering with appendicitis. Both young men were operated upon and Dr. Crook reports that his son is recovering nicely. On the other hand, he says the Macon youth was in a critical condition, gangrene having set in when they reached the hospital.

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KINSTON WON—For the third consecutive year, the Kinston basketball team has won the Second District tournament championship. The tournament was held in the Opp municipal auditorium and brought together the cream of the cage game talent in this section. A number of closely contested games were played, but the Kinstonites overcame all opposition and clearly demonstrated that Coach Larkins' basketeers are the class of the district. The champions were victors over Goshen, Baker Hill, Highland Home and Hartford, the Kinston-Hartford game deciding the championship. The Kinston cagers took no chances in the game against Hartford and played inspired basketball, crushing the Geneva Countians by the lopsided score of 36 to 8. Hartford came to the tournament with a record of no defeats during the season, even defeating the strong Auburn Freshmen on the Hartford court. Auburn was the only team to defeat the Kinstonites during the season. Coach Larkins is taking his District champions to Tuscaloosa, where they will take part in the State tournament, which starts Friday. This makes the third time the Kinston team has entered the State tournament. The third time is said to be the charm and fans in this section are hoping the Kinston boys will bring home the bacon this time.

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PRETTY HOME—Mrs. Nell B. Cooper's home looks very pretty in its new dress of white paint. In fact, it is now one of the most attractive residences in Elba. It's wonderful what paint will do.

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ADDITION — W. S. Reeves is building an addition to his novelty shop. The 20x30 foot addition is being built on the east side of the Masonic building and will be used as a work shop.

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FISH SCARCE—This section is suffering from a fish famine. W. T. (Fish) Parker reports that the last trip he made to the fish markets he was unable to get any, the fishermen saying that this has been one of the worst fishing seasons they have experienced in several years. Mr. Parker is expected to return soon from another trip and it is hoped this trip will prove more successful.

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PROGRESSING — Work on Elba's new school buildings is going on apace. Hopes are entertained that the new auditorium will be completed in time for commencement exercises of the graduating class of '36.

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ELBA SCHOOLS — Regardless of how other schools in this section are being affected by shortage of money, Elba's schools are for-

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Dorsey Sez:

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EVIDENCES OF RECOVERY

The best index to the state of business confidence at any time is the values which are placed upon stocks and bonds by the buyers and sellers on the New York Stock Exchange. That is not to say that the prices at which stocks sell always reflect the actual values behind them. What they do reflect definitely, however is the belief of the business community as to whether business is improving, so that the stocks which they buy will have a higher value, or whether it is falling off, in which case they sell their stocks, fearing that they will diminish in value.

Up to the end of February in this year there had been 11 consecutive calendar months of advancing prices of securities on the nation's Stock Exchange. Since the rise began, in March last year, the average price of 50 representative stocks moved upward from $77.92 to $199.21 a share. Three years ago every bank in the United States was closed. Since that time the average increase in the price of stocks has been 136 per cent.

Last year on all of the registered national security exchanges 661 million shares of stocks changed hands. It is foolish to regard these stock transactions as pure gambling. A fair percentage of stock trading is done by speculators, but the vast majority of these transactions are purchases by investors of dividend-paying securities, which enable them to earn more than bank interest on their surplus funds. They buy stocks and bonds rather than real estate because of the existence of the stock exchanges, providing an open market in which any listed security can always be sold immediately at a price.

The very best evidence of a genuine business recovery, and that the world of business believes in it, is the evidence provided by the record of the stock exchanges during the past eleven months.

THOSE AMAZING JAPANESE

To the American mind nothing that has occurred in recent years has been so amazing as the story from Japan of the assassination of several of the nation's high officials by hot-headed young army officers. The workings of the Oriental mind are beyond the power of most of us to follow. Apparently the soldiers who slew their statesmen were merely trying to protest against the anti-militaristic policy of the government, which has attempted to restrain the army's activities in Manchuria and Mongolia. It was a demonstration against the growing control of Japan by industry and finance, instead of by the military caste. The leaders of the movement regard themselves as patriots bent on restoring the ancient system.

One authentic tale of true heroism comes over the cables. The assassins were reported to have killed the premier of Japan, Keisuke Okada. Three days later Premier Okada turned up, alive and unharmed. The man whom the rebels had killed at his house was his brother-in-law secretary, Col. Denzo Matsuo, who looked so much like the premier that, when he offered himself for sacrifice, there was no doubt about his identity. That incident reveals another phase of the Oriental mind, its indifference to human life, even its own.

Altogether, the Japanese episode suggests that the nation is far from being a unit in its aggressive policy of conquest on the Asiatic mainland.

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NORTHWESTERN TEACHERS MET AT ZION CHAPEL

The second meeting of the Northwestern Teachers' Study Group met at Zion Chapel School Saturday, February 29, from 9:30 to 12:30 o'clock, with Mr. B. D. Nelson presiding. The teachers from all the schools in the northwestern part of the county were present except one, who was absent on account of sickness. The teachers from the following schools were present: Zion Chapel, Antioch, Newbia, Mt. Vernon, Pike County Line, Perdue, Bluff Springs, Double Heads, Zoar, Wise Mill, Lee, Pine Level and Curtis. The teachers from the Northeastern Study Group who met with us were those from Victoria and Reeves; from the Southeastern Study Group, Asbury. Mrs. Henry Paschal, attendance officer of the county, was a visitor.

Miss Hilda Swain had charge of the program, under the direction of Miss Eunora Farris, school supervisor.

Opening—Devotional.

Singing—Mrs. Ola B. Kendrick and pupils from Pine Level.

Discussion—Mr. B. D. Nelson, president.

Roll Call—Miss Lillian Morris, secretary.

Book Review of Sociological Philosophy—Mr. F. T. Walden, vice-president.

A Unit On Indian Life—Mrs Mae L. Bryan.

Teachers As Citizens—Mrs. Ola B. Kendrick.

Existing School Conditions—County Superintendent W. A. Eidson.

Requirements of the Elementary Grades In Reading and The Care of Free Text Books—Miss Eunora Farris, school supervisor.

The Work Book for the Sixth Grade—Mrs. Kitty M. Johnson.

Methods In Teaching Geography—Miss Ethel Sawyer.

Samples of work being done in the different schools of the county were on display. The meeting was very interesting and inspirational.

At the conclusion of the program, a plate lunch with iced tea was served by the Zion Chapel teachers, Mrs. Wayne T. Brown and Miss Onie Mae Moore, assisted by Mrs. Lucile B. Dennis of Troy.

LILLIAN MORRIS, Secy.

FARMERS WARNED NOT TURN WINTER LEGUMES TOO EARLY

AUBURN, Ala. — Winter legumes—hairy vetch and Austrian winter peas—should not be turned too early. This is especially true this year, due to the small growth because of cold weather during the winter months, says J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist.

With the coming of warm weather the legumes will immediately begin making rapid growth and will soon be large enough to add sufficient nitrogen for corn or cotton.

One ton of coal is said to be equivalent to two cords of wood for fuel purposes.

As he asked for a job in the shop of an undertaker, Joseph Bianchi of Philadelphia fell dead.

FARMER JONES AND HIS COW PEN

By JUDGE W. M. BRUNSON

Did you ever hear of timber farming? There is not a man in your county who is a timber farmer at the present time and you probably do not use such a term. The day is not far distant when you will hear of men as timber farmers or timber growers. It is my prediction that within twenty five years timber will be selling at a fabulous price. At that time a log will be saleable at most any store and it will bring a nice price. The day is soon coming when you can take a log to town with you and sell it as you do a hog today. When that day comes we shall have timber farmers or timber growers who will be looked upon as men who study the art of growing timber at a profit. The day is soon to come when we shall go with our ax and cut out all the crooked and undesirable trees in our woods. The day is soon to come when no man will permit fire in his woods or permit anything else to destroy his young timber. I believe that you will agree with me that we shall soon see such a time or day. Then, if it is going to be so profitable to the farmer of 25 years hence, why will it not pay you and me to begin now in the proper growing and protection of our timber? It requires many years of time to grow a nice tree large enough for the sawmill. No farmer could do a better thing than to prepare a piece of timber land for the future of his children. Your children must have timber and they will need more than you do, as there will be many more of them. I would like to prepare about 20 acres of land for each of my children as a timber farm. Twenty acres is not too much for a family and it will take at least 20 years for the timber to grow. A wise father will prepare for his children. We should think of the future as it will come to our children. In 20 years from now men will be known as timber farmers or timber growers, because these men will be in that business. If we would properly protect our timber we could sell from it all the time and not materially reduce the tract. If you had 200 acres of timber which had been protected from the fire it would be possible for you to cut and remove a quantity of trees each year. As you cut the grown trees the young ones would take their place. The tops could and should be cut into wood for farm use or sale. Just think how many trees you could sell from a 200-acre tract each year. If you will start you might be the first timber farmer in your section. A good timber farmer should be independent. You can do it.

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I have told you about growing early dent corn for summer cash, but I doubt that you have done the first thing in an effort to make this cash. Please let me insist that you begin today and try this plan one time. I shall not go over the entire plan again, but you can probably find your old paper if you do not recall just how it is done. The thing which I wish to do today is to get you interested in the plan to the extent that you will get busy and try a patch. Two acres of white dent corn should produce at least 50 bushels of corn, which should bring you more than $60.00 during the month of July. At least one man in each community should follow this game regularly. In addition to the new corn and the money received you will have the stalks and nubbins for feed. If you plant peas, peanuts or citrons in the corn you will have that much extra. If you do not plant anything with the corn you will still have the patch for an early grazing patch for your livestock. It will pay you and will pay you well if you will only do your part.

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I farmed for about 20 years before I learned the art of saving my corn. For many years I would haul my corn in and begin feeding on it the very day I brought it in. Sometimes I would begin feeding new corn from the field before it was gathered. In those days it took about 150 bushels of corn to the plow and unless we were a little careful we would not have enough to get by on. I find that I can now make a crop with 50 bushels of corn to the mule. I mean that much dry corn. Our strawberry corn is ready to feed on by the middle of June. By the end of June it is getting dry enough to be used by the working mules. By the middle of July we have sorghum and peas ready. Citrons and potatoes are also ready by the middle of July and we do not use dry corn while we have this green feed. We use hay, green feed and pastures until frost and after frost we rely mostly upon peanut hay. We use just a small amount of corn for a change. We do not feed corn again until we begin breaking land for the next crop. By this method we have reduced our corn consumption from 150 bushels to about 50 bushels to the plow. Some one might ask about hogs and chickens in connection with the corn crib. Well, there was a time when I fed quite a lot of corn to hogs and chickens but I do not do that since I have learned that it is not necessary and not even best. We use velvet beans, potatoes and citrons for hog feed. Instead of feeding so much corn to the chicks we use milk and get more eggs.

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I have been looking over Sallie's chicken yard today, and believe me, it is a dandy. Sallie is a great believer in all kinds of chickens, ducks, turkeys, guineas, and the like. She says that the chicken and egg business is one of the biggest things in existence and that she is going to have her part of the trade. Sallie has two bunches of chickens or baby chicks large enough to be weaned and several other bunches which are younger. Sallie tries to set a hen each week. She says that her chicken and egg money is more important than my cotton money and as between the two Sallie generally has the most money. There are many men in this section who do not even advise with their wives about the chicken business. I know of women who do not have a chicken coop on the yard and no lumber from which one might be built. I know of one family with seven children who do not even have a chicken house. Those children wear rags instead of clothes. That man, who calls himself a farmer and a husband, but who is so trifling that he will not even provide material with which the wife can build a chicken coop, is too sorry and worthless to be called a farmer. Sallie has dozens of nice chicken coops and a real good chicken yard. Our chicken house is large and ample for our flock of fowls. Your chicken yard and house are what you have made them. You might look the situation over and determine for yourself what kind of a farmer, husband, or chicken grower you are. Most families are about as prosperous as the chicken yard indicates. Tell me how many chickens, chicken coops and how much chicken yard is to be found on your place and I'll come pretty near telling you how many patches are to be found on your every-day pants. Or if you will tell me how many chicken coops you have I'll come pretty near telling you how many patches are on the seat of your work trousers. Some of us think we are fooling the world but we are generally fooling ourselves instead. The other fellow is about as sharp as we are and he generally knows more about us than he should know. I long to see the day when every family in this section will have a real chicken yard full of well-bred chickens and a feed house filled with home grown feed. As soon as we learn to raise our own feed and then raise chickens to consume that feed we shall be getting somewhere in the poultry business. Each community is about as prosperous as the chickens will indicate. You might look your family and your chickens over and judge your condition.

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MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms of that certain mortgage, executed by Bonnie L. Jacobs and Annie Jacobs, his wife, to Charles Forman, dated December 8, 1919, and recorded in Volume E-3 of Mortgages on page 144 in the Office of the Judge of Probate of Coffee County, Alabama, and such default continuing, will be sold to the highest bidder, for cash, at the Courthouse door in the City of Elba, Alabama, on the 11th day of April, 1936, the following real estate:

The NE ¼ of the NW ¼, less 8 acres in the NW corner thereof, and the SE ¼ of the NW ¼ of Section 32, Twp. 5N, Range 20E, containing in the aggregate 72 acres, more or less. Said sale is made for the purpose of satisfying the debt secured by said mortgage, together with expenses of sale, including a reasonable attorney's fee.

CHICAGO TITLE AND TRUST COMPANY, a Corporation, as Trustee under the Last Will and Testament of James W. Thomson, Deceased.
Assignee of said mortgage.
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BRUNSON & ROWELL, Attorneys for Assignee. m12-19-26.a2

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NOTICE OF LOCAL LAW FOR COFFEE COUNTY

Notice is hereby given that a Bill will be introduced at the present Special Session of the Legislature of Alabama for a local law for Coffee County, Alabama, providing, in substance, that members of the Court of County Commissioners be paid their per diem compensation as now provided by law out of the gasoline excise tax funds of Coffee County, Alabama, instead of paying the same out of the general funds of said County, and for the repeal of all laws in conflict with said proposed local law, and providing that said law take effect immediately upon its approval by the Governor.

W. C. BRASWELL,
f20-27.m5-12. Representative.

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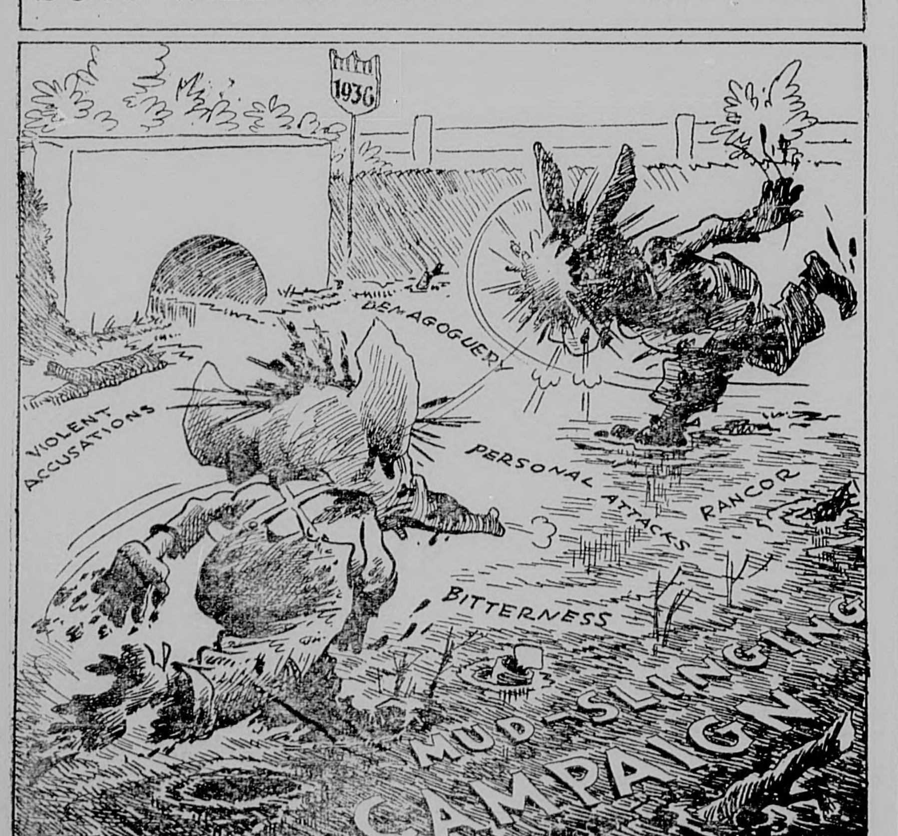
BOYS WILL BE BOYS — by A. B. Chapin



PROMENADE DECK

by Ishbel Ross

SEVENTH INSTALLMENT

SYNOPSIS: . . . A luxurious five-month cruise around the world aboard the "Marenia" brings together a group of passengers for adventures, romantic, entertaining . . . and tragic. . . . Like in "Grand Hotel" these passengers offer a study in human actions and reactions which unconsciously bare their souls. . . . These characters are aboard the ship: Macduff, dour Scotchman, single, of middle age; Miss Mudge, school teacher, spending the savings of 20 years; Angela, faithful wife of Lovat, gigolo; Dick Charlton, first officer; Clare, a person of experience; Joan, a dissipated flapper; Jenny, run-away wife, and Peter; Captain Baring, master of the ship . . . and his soul. . . . NOW, GO ON WITH THE STORY.

Clare was ducking through the curtain into her stateroom, her dark head turned over her shoulder, invitation on her lips. Peter was at her heels. Jenny could see his back as he bent his head to go under the curtain. His hand shot out and caught at his companion's upper arm as he disappeared from view. Jenny closed her eyes and clutched at her heart. She had not believed it possible, in spite of Peter's recent coolness. Her face went white as she stood in the corridor, weakly clutching the hand-rail. The boat lurched and her feet moved mechanically along the linoleum-covered corridor. She knew that she must be walking like an absurd marionette. Now she had arrived at her own stateroom. She walked under the curtain and hooked the door.

Jenny lay down on her bed and covered her eyes with fingers that fluttered nervously. Her throat was swelling till she thought she would choke. It couldn't be possible—not now, so soon. They had been together only two months. She had run away for a lifetime, believing that Peter loved her enough to spare her all regret, and now it was like this, with a cheap woman on the boat. "What a blind fool I've been!" she thought. "He can't have loved me at all, not for a minute. But it isn't his fault. I brought it on myself.

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Dick was dancing with Patty under pleated lanterns that swayed like drunken sailors. She looked like a puff-ball in a cascade of white chiffon. Hard to believe that she was the thin young thing who had slipped through the water that afternoon like a sharp blade.

"Patty, you're looking very sweet tonight," he told her, humming the waltz as he swung her around.

"And I could dance forever with you, Dick."

"It's the sky and the lanterns you like, silly infant."

"Now you're teasing."

"Honour bright, I'm not." The waltz came to an end and they sat down.

"I think the boat's getting a little dull," said Patty suddenly.

Dick laughed.

"I wish it were," he said.

"Why, what's going on?"

"Plenty, Patty. You don't suppose that everything's as smooth as it looks on the promenade deck, do you? You can't believe that the men down below go calmly along, week after week, in this infernal heat, without disturbance? We had one man try to stab another today, and the chef threw a carving-knife at a pantry boy last Wednesday, and men fall sick and in love and behave like a lot of puppies generally."

"Really, I'm amazed," said Patty. "Everything seems so orderly and serene."

Dick laughed. "Well, I'm glad that it looks that way. Did you notice the boat slow down in the middle of the night on Friday?"

"No, I was probably sound asleep."

"That was to bury a member of the crew who died of malaria. And when we leave Ceylon we must slow down again to toss a wreath out at the spot where one of the cruise men was buried last year. He ate some bad food in India."

Patty shuddered. It had not occurred to her that the Marenia was anything but a peaceful pleasure boat.

But Dick was going on: "Don't forget that this is a village afloat, and not nearly so peaceful as the anchored variety. Do you want to know what's really going on around you among the passengers? In one stateroom a husband comes in late from a poker game each night and threatens to kill his wife. They're a blowzy pair from Cleveland who curse and swear at each other, and are always drunk. We've had to go in and still them a few times. I think he'll murder her yet, when he gets drunk enough," continued Dick.

"And there's the little teacher who has been saving her pennies for twenty years to go around the world and now that she's on the boat, she's afraid she hasn't money enough to take her safely home. She daren't go ashore by herself, because of the constant demand for tips and fees."

"It's Miss Mudge, isn't it?" interrupted Patty.

"Yes, since you've guessed it, and a very good sport, too."

"Then there's the man who's running away from his wife and is deluged with frantic radios every day. And the American whose fortune has shrunk from seven millions to blue ruin since he sailed. Haven't you seen him hanging around the stock-board? He faces bankruptcy and endless troubles when he gets back. And there's the spinster who filled her pockets with pebbles by the Sea of Galilee, and has fallen madly in love with the captain, who has never spoken a word to her."

"Oh, how thrilling!" cried Patty. "I never thought of it in that light. Do you always have things like this happen on a cruise?"

"Of course we do. This is a comparatively dull one so far. I've given you only the sketchiest idea of what takes place on a cruising boat. I call it ocean madness. Roll a score of Atlantic crossings into one; add moonlight on Waikiki Beach, sunset on the Indian Ocean, night in Peking, cherry blossoms in Japan; fling together men and women away from their homes, their friends, the forces that impose restraint — and what have you?"

Patty lay awake for hours that night, thinking of the Marenia as a vast building with dozens of separate apartments, and a little drama going on in each.

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She imagined herself in his arms, dancing, while he leaned down to kiss her.

Down in 454 Miss Mudge was reading Conrad's "Typhoon," given her by the chief officer. She was elated at the end of another gala night. He had danced with her three times and sat out a tango. Every night was gala night on the Marenia, particularly since she had met Mr. Charlton, the first officer.

She lowered her book and delivered herself to the full enchantment of her thoughts of Mr. Charlton. Heavens! Miss Foster was making whoopee again. She had learned "making whoopee" from some of her gay companions, and she liked the sound of it now. It was so unlike Ohonto. Mr. Charlton roared with laughter every time she said it. Some nights things were rather quiet next door, with only one man in the room and nothing much in the way of noise, except a clinking of glasses and an occasional burst of laughter. There must be a party going on tonight. She could hear the voices of at least four different men, and their hostess seemed to be feeling gay.

Miss Mudge wondered what it would be like to be surrounded by four different men, all of whom probably wanted to kiss one. The idea did not appeal to her so much as having one man in that mood. There must surely be very little point to public lovemaking. Things were quiet next door for a minute or two, and her thoughts flowed back to Mr. Charlton. She imagined herself in his arms, dancing with him, while he leaned down to kiss her cheek.

Miss Mudge sat up straight in bed as she heard Joan Foster's laughter come splintering through the partition.

"Let's throw him out," one of the men exclaimed. "It's time to break up, anyway. One more song and we'll leave little Joan to her beauty sleep."

Miss Mudge was sure that it was the voice of the man whose wife was ill.

They had all gone now, except the man who usually stayed longest. The conversation was pitched on a lower note, and there were long pauses when nothing was said at all.

At last she fell asleep, but not for long. Wakening with a sense of disturbance, she switched on the light over her bed to look at her watch. Half-past three and a commotion next door! Miss Foster and her friend were singing at the pitch of their voices. A glass went smash and the song broke off. Miss Mudge disappeared beneath the clothes until only her hairpinned fringe showed. Miss Foster started the victrola, choosing the song, "I wanna be loved." As soon as it was finished, she put it on again. By the tenth time it was getting a little boring. An hour later the man stumbled out of the cabin. Still the victrola went on.

Miss Mudge was desperately tired. The girl must be mad. Sitting up in bed, she knocked hesitantly on the wall, but there was no reply, except the clinking of ice in a glass. Seven o'clock and the music still went on, like a tireless hurdy-gurdy.

Worn out, Miss Mudge fell asleep at last. A noise wakened her at ten. The victrola was grinding the same refrain. At last she was angry; she would stand no more. She thumped loudly on the wall. The music whirred to a slow stop. Miss Foster flopped noisily on her bed.

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Jenny was in a light-hearted mood when the Marenia anchored off Parknam in a thick heat haze. Her mind was no longer locked in high tension, and she talked with delicate animation. For three days Peter had been his old tender self. So far as she knew, he had seen nothing of Clare. Going ashore, she wore a gay flowered frock of poppy silk and a wide straw hat.

"I'm happy today, Peter," she announced.

"Why are you happy, Jenny?" His gaze was on her suddenly, cool and searching. He caught her hand, turned it over and kissed the cupped palm. Jenny did not answer.

Peter brought out his cigarette case, a flat gold one, with his initials engraved in the corner. Jenny had always admired it, and she felt sure that there was a story connected with it, for he seemed to prize it more than any other thing he possessed. He took out a cigarette, flipped the case over to her, and remarked: "Put it in your bag, Jenny."

"Why?"

"Merely because I want you to. It's something I'm extraordinarily fond of. Don't forget that."

"You must expect to have your pockets picked in Bangkok."

"Perhaps I do."

He smiled and she dropped it into her bag.

Leaving the train at Bangkok, they drove past trim white houses and through immaculate streets.

They boarded a launch and sailed up the Menam to the king's palace, slowly approaching the wats that cluster around it. The scene seemed to Jenny to have sprung full bloom from the pages of Hans Andersen. They walked past the devas, giant grotesques intended to frighten away the devils.

"I think when we choose our home in England, I should like a deva to guard my door," said Jenny, laughing at the spiked monsters.

They wandered through the courtyards of the compound, Jenny's face alight with interest. Peter was silent. She had rarely seen him look so handsome.

"It's nearly twelve o'clock," he remarked, twisting his elbow to look at his wrist watch.

"As if time mattered in the least! I feel that this is a spot where hours have no meaning."

They went into the temple that held the Emerald Buddha. It was like going into a dark cave filled with green water. For several minutes they could see nothing but a filtered jade mist, for the sun was still in their eyes. Jenny leaned on her parasol and rested.

"Jenny darling!" said Peter, urgently.

"Yes?" She swung around in response to something in his voice.

He touched her hand and whispered: "It's nothing. It doesn't matter, but you're very helpless, aren't you, dear?"

She noticed that he looked a little strained, and that his hands were shaking.

"Without you I should be, Peter."

CONTINUED NEXT WEEK

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Default being made in the conditions of the mortgage executed by John B. Price (Also known as J. B. Price) and wife, Myrtle Price, to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans on February 15th, 1928, and recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book Q-3, Page 200, and, also, in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Elba Division, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 3-A, Page 276, said Bank to realize the entire indebtedness secured thereby, will, on March 26, 1936, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in Elba, Alabama, under the power contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

Northeast quarter of Southeast quarter and Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter less 6 acres off the East side thereof, in Section 3, Township 6, Range 20, Coffee County, Alabama, containing 81 acres, more or less.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
Mortgagee.
B. W. SMITH & LEONARD TRAWICK, Attorneys for Mortgagee. m5-12-19.

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COUNTY OF COFFEE.

Default being made in the conditions of the mortgage executed by S. F. Parish and wife, Laura Taylor Parish, to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans on September 15th, 1925, and recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book Q-3, Page 52, said Bank to realize the entire indebtedness secured thereby, will, on March 19, 1936, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in Elba, Alabama, under the power contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

The South half of Southeast quarter, Section 33, the South half of Southwest quarter Section 34, all in Township 4, Range 19, in Coffee County, Alabama.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
Mortgagee.
B. W. SMITH And LEONARD TRAWICK, Attorneys for Mortgagee. f27.m512.

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COUNTY OF COFFEE.

Default being made in the conditions of the mortgage executed by T. M. Jackson and wife, Callie Jackson, to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans on June 15th, 1923, and recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book M-3, Page 75, and also in Book 3-A, Page 207, Elba Division, said Bank to realize the entire indebtedness secured thereby, will on March 19, 1936, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in Elba, Alabama, under the power contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

The North half of the Northeast quarter, less 1½ acres in the Northwest corner, 15 acres in Northeast corner of Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, the South half of the Northeast quarter, Section 25, Township 7, Range 20, the North half of North half of Southwest quarter, Section 30, Township 7, Range 21, situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

LESS AND EXCEPT therefrom the following described property heretofore released from the operation of said mortgage:

The North half of the North half of the Southwest quarter, Section 30, Township 7, Range 21, containing in all 40 acres.

The 15 acres in the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter, Section 25, Township 7, Range 20, are more accurately described as all of the property in the Northeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter of said Section lying North and East of an old road and being 11 acres, more or less.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
Mortgagee.
B. W. SMITH And LEONARD TRAWICK, Attorneys for Mortgagee. f27.m512.

666 SALVE for COLDS
Liquid, Tablets, Salve, Nose Drops
price 5c, 10c, 25c

NOTICE OF SALE

STATE OF ALABAMA,
COUNTY OF COFFEE.

Default being made in the conditions of the mortgage executed by C. W. Mizell and wife, Lucille Mizell (also known as Lucile Mizell), to The Federal Land Bank of New Orleans on March 1st, 1930, and recorded in the office of the Probate Judge of Coffee County, Alabama, in Mortgage Book 1-A, Pages 212-215, said Bank to realize the entire indebtedness secured thereby, will, on March 19, 1936, between the legal hours of sale at the Courthouse door of Coffee County, in Elba, Alabama, under the power contained in said mortgage, sell at auction to the highest bidder for cash the following described property:

Sixty acres on the South side of the North half of the Northwest quarter, Section 36, South half of the Northwest quarter, Section 36, Northeast quarter of the Southwest quarter, West half of the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, Section 36, Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, less 10 acres on West side, Section 35, 10 acres in the Southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, Section 35, beginning 222 yards North of the Southeast corner of the Southeast quarter of Southeast quarter, thence West to the public road, thence up road to where the North line of said forty crosses road, thence East to the range line, thence South to the starting point, and the Northeast quarter of the Southeast quarter less 1 acre for school purposes, and the West half of the Southeast quarter of the Northeast quarter, and the Southwest quarter of the Northeast quarter, and the East half of the Northwest quarter of the Southeast quarter, all the above described land in Section 36, Township 4, Range 19, containing 135 acres, more or less, containing in all 377 acres, more or less. Situated in Coffee County, Alabama.

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF NEW ORLEANS,
Mortgagee.
B. W. SMITH And LEONARD TRAWICK, Attorneys for Mortgagee. f27.m5-12.

ASSIST NATURE
With this Vegetable Laxative that acts like Nature intended to cleanse the System of poisons caused by Constipation.
10c —— 25c
DR. HITCHCOCK'S LAXATIVE POWDER
"NATURE'S BEST ASSISTANT"

FLIRT, *Field Champion*

Homewood Flirtatious, White and Black Pointer Bitch, owned by H. M. Curry, Jr., Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.

AMONG all the bird dogs in America, Homewood Flirtatious ("Flirt" for short) stands out the 1935 champion. At the National Championship Field Trial at Grand Junction, Tenn., Flirt proved her mettle. Speed, range, bird finds—Flirt had everything! One perfect creature in whom Nature put that delicate, natural balance of all the elements that make a champion.

The champion Flirt is Nature at her best—one of Nature's rarest masterpieces. She looks like other dogs—four legs, a head, a body, a tail, but she's not just a dog. She's a proud and proven champion—a champion in the field. Another dog may look a little like her—but he's still just a dog.

And here's another field champion, Natural Chilean Nitrate—another one of Nature's rarest masterpieces. Like the champion pointer, Natural Chilean has that proud and priceless gift—something over and beyond mere nitrogen—natural balance of the many fertilizer elements—the vital impurities—the Natural blend and balance that make a champion. That's the vital spark. That's why "Flirt" isn't just a dog. That's why Natural Chilean isn't just a fertilizer.

Natural Chilean contains almost two score of major and minor elements such as boron, magnesium, manganese, iodine, calcium, potassium, etc.—each a vital element in growth and healthy development of plants.

Natural CHILEAN NITRATE OF SODA
WITH VITAL IMPURITIES IN NATURE'S OWN BALANCE AND BLEND

POOR ORIGINAL

People & Things

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tunate in being operated on a basis which assures their continuance for the full term. Schools are closing all over the State. Some people seem to think teachers should continue to teach without pay, but I fail to understand why teachers are different from other classes of public servants in this respect. I haven't heard of any of our county, State or Government officials offering to serve without pay. So I say: No pay, no teach!

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BASEBALL—Coach Phil Crigler has worked wonders in a short time in the way of organizing and coaching a baseball team at Elba High School. Elba merchants recently contributed funds to purchase uniforms and the boys present a natty appearance. Considerable talent is being shown and some interesting games are scheduled for this season.

METHODIST WOMEN MEET FOR MISSION STUDY—

The Methodist Woman's Missionary Society met with Mrs. F. H. Murphree Monday afternoon for Mission Study. Mrs. J. M. Rowe directed the following program:

Song—"Give of Your Best to the Master."

Devotional—Mrs. Marley.

Prayer—That we may take stock of our own hearts and determine to give more fully of ourselves for Home Mission Work—Mrs. W. J. Hughes.

Song—"Somebody Did a Golden Deed."

The Field and Scope of Home Missions—Mrs. R. L. Cooper.

The Work of Home Missions and Where Home Missions Money is spent—Mrs. F. H. Murphree.

Building Schools for the Disadvantaged—Mrs. W. R. Crook.

Mrs. Marley presided during the business session that followed the program. Dismissal was with the watchword.

Now is the time to have your old mattresses made over. Our prices $4 to $5, including ticking. Work guaranteed. Elba Mattress Works.

LOVELY MISCELLANEOUS SHOWER FOR MISS MADDOX—

The home of Mrs. B. S. Franklin was lovely in its decorations of bridal tones Friday afternoon, March 6, when the members of the Y. W. A. entertained at a miscellaneous shower from 3 to 5, complimenting Miss Gladys Maddox, a bride-elect.

Beautiful baskets of jonquils, hyacinths and sprays of spirea were used in profusion in decorations in the living room, dining room and the room where gifts were displayed, carrying out a color scheme of yellow and pink.

Miss Sara Nell Clark met the guests at the door and presented them to Mrs. B. S. Franklin, who stood at the head of the receiving line, with Miss Gladys Maddox, the honoree, her mother, Mrs. Brace Maddox, and Mrs. Herman Gunter, aunt of the groom, Mrs. Elmer Gunter, Mrs. Alto Peacock, Mrs. Grover Hudson and Mrs. Bartow Maddox, all of New Brockton, and Mrs. Kimmey Farris.

Mrs. L. L. Farris ushered the guests to the bride's book, presided over by Miss Pasteen Maddox, sister of the bride, and then on to the gift room, where Miss Nora Bullock and Miss Nela Mae Maddox presided. Many lovely gifts, attesting the popularity of the bride, were attractively displayed.

In the dining room, Miss Ruby Spurlin, Miss Anne Windham and Miss Lora Johnson served punch, shamrock mints and yellow and pink sandwiches from a beautiful lace-covered table, decorated with baskets of flowers and yellow candelabra.

The bride wore a beautiful spring ensemble of French blue with matching accessories. About 100 guests called during the afternoon.

Fish, Oysters, Chickens and Eggs at Wise's Market. Phone 18.

Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Tubb and son, Loyd Bryan, of Columbia, visited relatives in Elba the first of the week.

Willie Mac Horn returned to Maxwell Field, Montgomery, Sunday afternoon after spending a week in Elba with his parents Mr. and Mrs. B. Horn.

Alabama Press Association

Invites its Friends

To Accompany the Association on a 7-Day, All-Expense Tour to

HAVANA, CUBA

IN JUNE, 1936

● *Total cost of the trip, including transportation, meals, hotel bill and sightseeing trips will be $73.15, from Montgomery and return.*

For further information see the Editor of this paper or write to F. W. Stanley, Greenville, or E. C. Hall, Alexander City, Convention Committee of the Association.

WISE CASH GROCERY

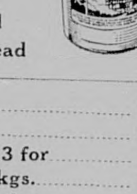
Free Delivery "For Better Foods" Phone 36

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY & SATURDAY

Kraft Sandwich Spreads

Seven Delightful Flavors, In Glass Jars .... 20c & 25c

Old English Spread
Pineapple Cream Spread
Creamed Old English
Pimento Cream Spread
Ham-N-aise Spread
Olive Pimento Spread
Roquefort Cream Spread



Quart 38c
Pint 24c
½-Pint 14c

Maxwell House Coffee, 1-lb. Can	27c
Sugar, 10 Pounds, in Cloth Bag	53c
Guest Ivory Soap, 2 for 10c; Special Sale, 3 for	11c
Oxydol, 9 oz. size, 10c; Special Sale, 2 pkgs.	11c
P & G White Naphtha Soap, giant size, 6 for	25c
Alabama Beauty Flour, 24 pounds	1.05
Plain or Self-Rising—Every Sack Guaranteed.	
Sun Glow Flour, self-rising, guaranteed, 24 lbs.	85c
Matches, big 5c box, 6 boxes for	19c
Fresh Water Ground Meal, per peck	20c
Cooking Oil, per gallon	95c
Any 5c Bar Candy, 3 bars for	10c
Hormel Oleomargarine Butter, 1 lb., 19c; 2 lbs.	35c
Argo Starch, 5c value, 6 packages	25c

FRESH VEGETABLES EVERY DAY.

SHELLED CORN WANTED: Any Quantity. Will Pay 50c per bushel Cash; 60c in Trade.

We Carry A Complete Line of Puritan Mills' Starting, Growing and Laying Mash, and Scratch Feed.

Elba's Complete Quality Grocery

Political Announcements

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of County Commissioner from the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to action of the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your influence and support will be appreciated.

WILLIS WILSON.

(Paid political advertisement by Willis Wilson, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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J. C. WISE.

(Paid political advertisement by J. C. Wise, Elba, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COMMISSIONER SOUTHWEST DISTRICT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination of County Commissioner from the southwest District of Coffee, subject to the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your support and influence will be appreciated.

L. F. YOUNG.

(Paid political advertisement by L. F. Young, Elba, Ala., Rt. 4.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of County Commissioner from the Northwest District of Coffee County, subject to the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

FOUNTAIN LEE.

(Paid political advertisement by Fountain Lee, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries to be held in May and June, this year. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

W. A. EIDSON.

(Paid political advertisement by W. A. Eidson, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries. Your vote and influence will be appreciated.

J. CURTIS DONALDSON.

(Paid political adv. by J. Curtis Donaldson, Elba, Alabama, Rt. 2.)

FOR COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of County Superintendent of Education, for Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held in 1936. Your vote and support will be very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

A. C. DUNAWAY.

(Paid political advertisement by A. C. Dunaway, Kinston, Ala.)

FOR MEMBER SCHOOL BOARD

I hereby announce my candidacy for nomination to the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

W. D. CROOK.

(Paid political advertisement by W. D. Crook, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR MEMBER SCHOOL BOARD

I hereby announce myself a candidate for nomination to the office of Member of the County Board of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries to be held this year. Your vote and influence will be highly appreciated.

W. J. BROWN.

(Paid political advertisement by W. J. Brown, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

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DOVE JOHNSON.

(Paid political advertisement by Dove Johnson, Jack, Ala., Rt. 1.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce my candidacy for nonmination to the office of County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to action of the Democratic primaries to be held this summer. Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

W. J. BULLARD.

(Paid political advertisement by W. J. Bullard, Elba, Alabama.)

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the nomination for County Commissioner from the Northeast District of Coffee County, subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections to be held this summer. Your influence and vote will be highly appreciated.

M. M. GODWIN.

(Paid political adv. by W. M. Godwin, New Brockton, Ala., R. 2.)

Elba Theatre

PROGRAM

TONIGHT—Last Times—
CARY GRANT
—In—
"THE LAST OUTPOST"
—With—
CLAUDE RAINS And GERTRUDE MICHAEL

Friday-Saturday, March 13-14—
GEORGE O'BRIEN
—In—
"THUNDER MOUNTAIN"
—With—
BARBARA TRITCHIE, FRANCES GRANT, MORGAN WALLACE
—Also—
Thirteenth Chapter
"MIRACLE RIDER"
—Starring—
TOM MIX And TONY, Jr.

Sunday, 2 & 8:30 p.m.;
Monday, 7:30 p.m.—
MIRIAM HOPKINS
—And—
EDWARD G. ROBINSON
—In—
'BARBARY COAST'
—With—
JOEL McCREA

Tuesday, 3:00 and 7:30 P. M.; ONE DAY ONLY—
JAMES DUNN
—In—
"BAD BOY"
—With—
DOROTHY WILSON, LOUISE FAZENDA, VICTOR KILIAN

Wednesday-Thursday, Mar. 18-19—
"BONNIE SCOTLAND"
AN M.-G.-M. PICTURE

New Brockton News Items

By CODY RIDENOUR

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Childs of Wadley, Ala., spent the week-end with their son, Fluno Childs, and Mr. and Mrs. John Swan.

Messrs. Malcolm Harper and Bert Byrd of Geneva visited Mrs. J. J. Till, who is seriously ill at her home here, last Friday.

Mrs. Fred McGraw of Birmingham is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan DuBose.

Miss Mary DuBose, Mrs. Guilbert and Miss Baily of the New Brockton Bible School visited in Dothan Sunday.

Miss Dorothea Lee Crabtree is ill with bloodpoisoning at her home in New Brockton.

Mrs. E. C. Jones and son, Jack, were visitors to Birmingham last week-end.

Miss Martha Jene Varner of Union Springs was the guest of Miss Virginia Ward last week.

Friends will be glad to know that Miss Miriam Harris, who is in a Birmingham hospital, is greatly improved.

Miss Agnes Moore was the guest of Miss Jene Moore in Andalusia last week-end.

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LEAGUE UNION

The monthly meeting of the Excelsior Young People's Union was held here last Friday night, February 29th. A good program was rendered by the Andalusia Department.

After a period of directed recreation, refreshments were served by the New Brockton Department. The meeting was dismissed with the League Benediction.

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MRS. STRICKLAND DIES

Mrs. G. W. Strickland, 69, died on route two last Friday night, March 6th, of pneumonia. For several months before her death she was quite feeble owing to infirmities of age.

Mrs. Strickland had been a resident of Coffee County for the last 35 years, having moved here with her husband from Pike County, where she was born and reared. She was a member of the Primitive Baptist Church, Mt. Pleasant, in this county.

Besides her husband, she is survived by three sons, W. T., New Brockton, Aubrey, Glenwood, and Leon, New Brockton route one; three daughters, Miss Mollie Strickland and Mrs. Joan Arnett, New Brockton route two, and Mrs. James Richards of Enterprise; three sisters, Mrs. Jim Davis, Tennille, Mrs. Jim Manning, Birmingham, and Mrs. W. C. Johnson, New Brockton; and one brother, William Galloway, of Brundidge.

Funeral services were held from Tabernacle Methodist Church Saturday afternoon, the Rev. W. M. Bush of New Brockton officiating, with burial in the church cemetery.

Besides her three sons, Roscoe Snellgrove, Strickland Snellgrove and Walter Pittman served as active pallbearers.

DIESEL ENGINES — National organization will interview men, mechanically inclined, to start training immediately for service and installation work. Tools furnished. Write today. Schoeck Diesel Training Division, Box 247, Elba, Alabama. m5-12.

FOR MEMBER OF CONGRESS

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Member of Congress from the Third Congressional District of Alabama, subject to the Democratic Primary of May 5, 1936.

JAMES E. FOLSOM.

(Paid political advertisement by James E. Folsom, Elba, Alabama.)

YOUNG ENTERPRISE WOMAN KILLED IN AUTO CRASH SUN.

ENTERPRISE, Ala., March 8.—Mrs. J. C. Farmer, about 30, was killed and her husband, manager of a grocery store here, was critically injured tonight when their car collided with another machine occupied by four negroes one mile from Enterprise on the Dothan highway. Two negroes also were critically injured, while two fled the scene following the crash.

Witnesses reported that the negroes' car, bearing a Birmingham identification tag, was traveling without lights, and Sheriff Otis Lightner is searching for the two who fled.

Mrs. Farmer died of a skull fracture and badly crushed chest. Her husband, semi-conscious at the Enterprise hospital, suffered a broken hip and leg, and other injuries. The Farmers had been out for a ride and were returning to Enterprise when the accident occurred.

Mr. and Mrs. Farmer came to Enterprise about two years ago from Jasper.

Second Victim Of Enterprise Auto Crash Dead

ENTERPRISE, Ala., March 9.—Hugo Doster, negro youth of Pinkard, died at Gibson's hospital, adding a second victim to the automobile collision in which Mrs. J. C. Farmer, popular Enterprise matron, lost her life Sunday night.

Mr. Farmer, critically injured in the accident, had regained consciousness Monday morning and was reported from the hospital to be "resting as well as could be expected."

Ulysses Alexander, second Pinkard negro injured in the wreck, is at Gibson's hospital in a serious condition.

Two other negro boys, occupants of the car which collided with the one in which Mr. and Mrs. Farmer were riding, were uninjured and fled the scene. Sheriff Lightner began an immediate search for them but no arrests had been made Monday morning.

There were no witnesses, though persons in nearby houses heard the crash. Various rumors are afloat, one being that a third car, traveling at terrific rate behind the Farmers' machine, ploughed its way through the debris and continued up the highway. The accident occurred about dusk Sunday.

The body of Mrs. Farmer was taken to Jasper, her former home, for funeral and burial Monday.

MRS. HAMM ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE PARTY—

Wednesday afternoon, March 4, the home of Mrs. Moses Hamm was the scene of a lovely party when she entertained the members of her bridge club.

A color scheme of green and white in St. Patrick motif was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. The spacious living room and dining room were en suite and attractively adorned with baskets of paper white narcissi and ferns.

Three tables were arranged for bridge One new member, Mrs. Thomas Ward, was welcomed into the club. After several progressions were enjoyed, the president called a short business session, when the time of meeting was changed to 3:15 and the rules of the contest which the club is directing were explained.

The hostess, assisted by Mrs. H. Jeter, served delicious salad, tea, shamrock sandwiches and cake to the members, and to Mrs. John Mason Kimmey of Clanton and Mrs. Walter Whitman, Jr., guests of the club.

Wise's Market—Sea Foods and Country Produce. Phone 18. James Wise, Manager.

Miss Catherine Rushing was the guest of Miss Frances Talbot in Troy during the past week-end.

Mrs. C. R. Talbot and Miss Frances Talbot of Troy were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Rushing and family.

Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Creswell have returned to their home in Newberry, S. C., after spending several days with relatives in Elba.

Miss Elaine McKinney, who is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs Greil Tillman, is reported much better today (Wednesday).

Miss Emma Taylor spent the week-end in Elba, guest of Miss Hazel Busbee.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Richburg and little daughter of Pensacola, Mrs. C. S. Allred and Miss Evelyn Allred spent the week-end with relatives in Birmingham and Boaz. Mrs. Allred will remain in Birmingham for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Allred before returning to Elba.

Miss Sara Shealy, who teaches at McKenzie, spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Ada Shealy.

Glenn Vickers of Chipley, Fla., was a visitor in Elba Sunday.

Miss Evelyn Conner has returned home after an extended visit to relatives in Chipley, Florida.

Get Rid of Poisons

Produced by Constipation

A cleansing laxative—purely vegetable Black-Draught—is the first thought of thousands of men and women who have found that by restoring the downward movement of the bowels many disagreeable symptoms of constipation promptly can be relieved. . . Mr. J. P. Mahaffey, of Clinton, S. C., writes: "I have found that Black-Draught is very effective in the cleansing of the system. When affected by the dull headache, the drowsiness and lassitude caused by constipation, I take Black-Draught." A natural, purely vegetable laxative.

BLACK-DRAUGHT

PREVENTIVE MEDICINE

Preventive medicine represents a new development in the field of health. And this new development is growing more and more important as years pass. The practice of preventive medicine is composed of many phases. The phase most appreciated by the laity, the general public, involves the use of vaccines, serums, antiseptics, etc.

In this particular branch of this prevention we can through the use of smallpox vaccination, prevent the disease of smallpox. By the use of toxoid we can practically eradicate diphtheria. And if typhoid vaccine is injected every two years to our county's people we could assist in keeping typhoid fever away.

Preventive medicine has other phases equally as important. Modern medicine is not content merely to prevent disease. Our aim in this work aside from "prevention" is aiding the individual to develop his native capacities, both physical and mental, so that those capacities can, through health, function to the fullest and best advantage. Thus preventive medicine is concerned with the proper nutrition and hygiene of the pregnant woman. Aside from that it concerns itself with care, food, and environment of the infant.

Preventive medicine is extremely interested in the prevention of rickets, in the prevention of decayed teeth, and in the prevention of all avoidable mild diseases and those of temporary nature, such as diarrhea, constipation and the common cold. Our work in tuberculosis is most interesting. In this we desire to teach the public what causes tuberculosis — First signs of tuberculosis—How to get well—Protecting others from tuberculosis and that no chronic disease is more easily cured than tuberculosis if discovered in early stage. Preventive medicine also teaches the cause and cure of pellagra.

Included in this phase of preventive medicine is mental hygiene. The family physician today is becoming more and more aware of the fact that the well being of his patient is deeply influenced by state of mind.

Another phase of modern preventive medicine includes the effort to slow up the process which tends to wear down our bodies, either due to chronic disease or to the wear and tear of age. In this phase of preventive medicine the aim is to take care of the body in health, to use and develop the resources we do have, and to protect ourselves against the ravages of disease and time.

NINA NEWTON,
County Nurse.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brooks, Jr., of Montgomery visited home folks in Elba Sunday.

Mrs. J. C. McLeod of Opp spent several days the past week in Elba with relatives.

Mrs. Fed Dyess spent last week with relatives in Henderson.

Messrs. Marvin Lewis of Dothan and Sonny Franklin of Union Springs were week-end guests in the home of Mrs. S. H. Brock.

THREE HOG PROJECTS FOR ALABAMA GROWERS

AUBURN, Ala.—Three hog projects—the market hog project, the purebred gilt project, and the ton-litter project—are being conducted in Alabama this year, announces F. W. Burns, extension livestock specialist, who briefly describes each project as follows:

The market hog project is intended for beginners who have had very little experience with hogs and who have only a limited amount of money to put into the project. This work should furnish an excellent market for much home-grown feed and also should show a nice profit for the club member.

The purebred gilt project is intended for club members who have demonstrated their ability to feed and care for hogs properly. These boys should be able to furnish market pigs to other club members who must buy their hogs and can also furnish breeding stock to farmers in the county.

The ton-litter project is designed for farmers and club members who have ample feed and who wish to produce hogs, using the best methods of feeding and management available. It also gives state-wide publicity to purebred hog breeders and will do much to assist them in the sale of breeding stock. This project should be profitable to all contestants.

Interested farmers and 4-H club members may obtain further information about each or all of the projects from their county agents.

FARMERS ARE ADVISED PLANT SEED PATCHES

AUBURN, Ala. — Planting seed patches seems to offer Alabama farmers their best opportunity of solving their annual planting seed problem, report officials of the Alabama Extension Service.

"Lespedeza seed are scarce and high in price but farmers can solve their lespedeza seed problem by planting a small patch and producing their own planting seed for 1937," says J. C. Lowery, extension agronomist.

Farmers are also being advised to plant seed patches of the better varieties of cotton for producing their 1937 planting seed.

The grower with crimson clover on his land this spring should save a seed patch for producing seed for planting next fall.

The extension workers also state that farmers "have a wonderful opportunity of increasing kudzu production by immediately setting out a few crowns and permitting them to produce other crowns for setting during future years."

Go to Sunday School Sunday.

GOVERNOR RETURNS TO JOB FOLLOWING ATTACK OF FLU

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Mar. 9.—Gov. Bibb Graves, still weak from an extended attack of influenza, was back at his desk Monday for the first time since February 21 but remained on the job only 45 minutes.

The chief executive returned to Montgomery Sunday from his seaside cottage near Foley, where he has been confined with influenza for more than two weeks.

After conferring for a half hour with department heads, he chatted a moment with newspaper men, and said he planned to work only a brief period daily until his strength returned.

And while he was talking, Mrs. Graves called from the mansion to remind him he had only 10 minutes left to finish his business before returning home.

TWELVE LIVING CHILDREN IS 10-YEAR RECORD OF COUPLE

ANDALUSIA, Ala., March 7.—Leaders in Canada's baby derby should be happy that Mr. and Mrs Gordon Thomason, of Andalusia, were not competitors for the prize offered to the couple raising the most babies between October 14, 1926, and October 14, 1936.

The 30-year-old mother presented the happy father, 32, with twins February 29, to run their score to 12 living children.

Despite hardships, the father has raised his family and wants no relief from the government. With an oxen, he plows his 15-acre farm and manages to send the five oldest children to school.

Mrs. Dell Hart, local welfare director, called at the home to find the healthy children scampering about the farm, the mother in bed with the twins, all well and happy. It was her second set of twins.

The father told Mrs. Hart he appreciated any assistance, but did not want relief from the government.

Make your bed more comfortable by having your mattress made over. All work guaranteed—prices reasonable. Work called for and delivered. ELBA MATTRESS WORKS.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Boutwell, Mr. and Mrs. Terry Kendrick and children spent last week-end in Southport, Fla., guests of Mrs. Walter Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Bryan were business visitors to Ozark last Thursday.

Those who attended the Dorsey-Hutchison wedding last Saturday morning were: Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sawyes, Henry Dorsey, Jr., Misses Nell Brock and Mary Virginia Lee.

Miss Jean Brock, who holds a position in Opp, was the guest during the week-end of her mother, Mrs. Pearl Brock.

young MOTHERS

PROVED BY 2 GENERATIONS

It's Time To Buy Fertilizer

We carry in stock in Warehouse at Elba, ready for delivery, the following well known Brands:

Armour's Big Crop

Wiley's Wonderful

(Made In Troy)

We Also Handle

Arcadian Nitrate of Soda

Chilean Nitrate of Soda

See us before buying, and get our prices. All Fertilizer Delivered at Your Barn.

We want to buy several hundred bushels of good, sound ear corn.

C. O. MILLER

ELBA, ALABAMA

OLDEST ELECTRIC TROLLEY SYSTEM IS ABANDONED

MONTGOMERY, Ala., Mar. 9.—The world's oldest commercial electric trolley system had passed on the junk heap today and modern gasoline buses had taken the place of the lumbering street cars which first rolled along Montgomery's streets on April 15, 1886.

Special ceremonies, with 2,500 persons gathered in historic Court Square, yesterday marked the "last run" of an electric trolley in Alabama's capital.

Miss Toccoa Cozart, the first woman to ride one of the "remodeled" mule cars in 1886, was aboard the last car, as were dignitaries and "old timers" of the street railway system.

The Montgomery City Lines, Inc., succeeds the Alabama Power Co., in furnishing the city's street transportation. The power company reported losses for years on its street railway system before abandoning its franchise.

Crews were sent out this morning to begin tearing up tracks in outlying sections of the city.

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SEED CANE FOR SALE — I have several hundred stalks of good, sound Green Cane for sale. A. J. Morrow at Tax Collector's office.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Murphree and children visited in Montgomery Friday.

Carl Folsom came down from Montgomery to spend the week-end with his mother, Mrs. J. M. Folsom.

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"Levee Will Be Completed" Is Assurance Given Elbians By Administrator Hopkins

"Elba's levee will be completed." This is the positive statement brought to the citizens of Elba from Administrator Harry L. Hopkins at Washington by Mayor L. P. Mullins and Prof. Jas. C. Dixon, president of the Chamber of Commerce, who returned from the Capital City Saturday afternoon. A full account of the trip and the several conferences held was given to the members of the Chamber of Commerce at the regular meeting held Tuesday evening.

The completion of the levee work will not interfere with the various projects now in course of construction in the county, under direction of the Works Progress Administration, although several letters were received throughout the county Saturday by county and city officials, that the levee work would be given preference and that all other projects would be stopped immediately.

It is needless to say that the threatened shut-down of the other projects brought consternation to officials interested, and telephone and telegraph wires were resorted to to untangle the matter and get more definite instructions, in order to keep all projects at full speed.

The misunderstanding came about through a conference held in Washington between the Elba delegation and an assistant in the WPA organization. After this conference the assistant surmised that the Elbians wanted the levee work started up at the expense of abandonment of all other county projects, and proceeded to give instructions to that effect. However, after talking to the assistant, the Elba delegation, through Congressman Steagall, who accompanied them, succeeded in seeing Administrator Hopkins, and spent some time with him.

After going over the entire proposition, Mr. Hopkins assured Messrs. Mullins and Dixon that they could return to Elba and tell her citizens that the levee would be finished, and that no fears need be entertained about the time limit that has been set for projects.

Funds with which to complete the job will be forthcoming in due time, according to the administrator. He further stated that projects now under way in the county into which city and county governments have already invested quite a bit of money will be completed before full speed is attained on levee work.

Messrs. Mullins and Dixon left Washington highly elated over the most cordial reception accorded them by Mr. Hopkins, and the fact that they had been successful in accomplishing all objectives of the trip. But on reaching Elba it was necessary to communicate with Washington again in order to get orders straightened out, to prevent the closing down of school, armory and road projects in the county, and to save them from a very embarrassing position.

Monday the following message came to Jas. C. Dixon, president of the Chamber of Commerce:

"Am assured employees will not be withdrawn from other projects nevertheless levee will be carried to completion in due course.

"H. B. STEAGALL."

This, it would seem, settles the matter and no further mix-up is anticipated. However, at the meeting Tuesday evening, the Chamber of Commerce instructed President Dixon and Mayor Mullins to keep well posted on the matter and follow up the good work they have done, on down through the State administration, and to see that proper consideration is given the levee project in the future.

Several weeks ago it was promised that work on concreting a portion of the levee already finished would be commenced right away, but so far nothing has been done about this work. Several delegations from here had assurance from the State administrator, Mr. Ray Crow, that this work, costing approximately $10,000.00, would be done. Further than this no promise has ever been made.

Now that assurance has come from Mr. Hopkins in a personal message, citizens of Elba feel that the project will be finished and their safety assured before the heavy rains of the late fall and early spring. Its completion will banish the fears of another flood such as was experienced just seven years ago last Saturday.

DR. JELTZ TO BE AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY NIGHT

Rev. J. E. Jeltz, D. D., conference evangelist for the A. M. E. Churches of Alabama, arrived in Elba Tuesday morning from Enterprise, and opened a revival meeting at the local colored Methodist Church Tuesday night. Dr. Jeltz is world-famous for his singing and preaching and while here a month or so ago, won great applause from his Elba audiences, all of whom will be pleased to know that he has returned to Elba for another meeting.

Dr. Jeltz will have charge of the Young People's Department meeting at the Methodist Church Sunday night from 6:30 to 7:30 o'clock. He conducted this program once before and had a full house. He invites all his friends to join him during his regular services at the colored Methodist Church, where seats are reserved for white people, and again Sunday night at the Methodist Church. Dr. Jeltz is accompanied by his talented daughter, Nora L. White, who is an accomplished soloist and piano accompanist.

W. J. WILKES, NEW BROCKTON FARMER, IS DEAD AT AGE 72

NEW BROCKTON, March 13.—W. J. Wilkes, 72, enterprising farmer, died at his home here Thursday afternoon at 1 o'clock of pneumonia. Mr. Wilkes had been a shut-in most of the last five years, rarely being able to be out. Last week he had an attack of flu, with pneumonia developing.

He was born and reared in Pike County and lived there until he was 42 years old, when he moved to Coffee County, and 26 years ago, moved to the farm where he lived until death. For 39 years he had been a loyal and consistent member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Wilkes is survived by his wife, nine children and nine grandchildren. Unlike many men, he was successful in keeping all of his children near him, all being enterprising citizens of New Brockton. His sons are: J. A., W. E., J. B. and B. J. His daughters are: Mrs. J. D. Willis, Mrs. J. D. Rodgers, Mrs. Collis Martin, and Misses Ruth and Julia Mae Wilkes.

He is also survived by three sisters, Mrs. W. R. Myers and Mrs. H. J. Mixon of Ariton and Mrs. J. M. Allen of New Brockton.

The funeral was held from the Baptist Church at 10 o'clock Friday morning, the Rev. W. M. Bush officiating. Burial was in the New Brockton cemetery.

Active pallbearers: Marvin Griswold, S. T. Jones, Henry Smith, Obed Moore, Robert Hayes, and H. B. Jones. Honorary: W. D. Boyette, J. M. Donaldson, J. A. Sawyer, Dave Marley, S. D. Fuller, H. F. Lockler, A. McKinnon, Ralph Gunter, James Martin, Dr. B. J. Massey, B. A. Johnson.

MR. STEAGALL SEEKS RE-ELECTION TO CONGRESS

The Clipper is today carrying the formal announcement of Congressman Henry B. Steagall, who is seeking re-election as representative from the Third District in the May 5th primary.

Mr. Steagall has been serving in the capacity for more than twenty years, and the record he has made is well known to voters of the district. While no announcement has been made to the effect, it is presumed that he will return to the district to campaign for the post.

Joe Crook was returned to his home here Monday after an appendicitis operation at a Troy hospital and will soon be sufficiently recovered to be out again.

Dorsey Sez:

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FLORIDA YOUTH FOUND DEAD NEAR OZARK LAST THURSDAY

OZARK, Ala., March 12.—A man authorities said had cards on his body giving the name of Jack Harder, St. Petersburg, Fla., was found dead beside his automobile 18 miles from Ozark Thursday morning, a bullet wound through the heart.

Coroner Kenneth Holman of Dale County said the man's wallet and watch were missing, and that he apparently was shot while sitting at the wheel of his car.

A bullet had pierced the windshield, and passed through the man's body into the back of the seat. Glass on the clothing led officers to conclude he was shot from outside.

Coroner Holman said the man had a gun in his hand with three empty shells and two more in the magazine.

The lights were burning on the car and the ignition had not been cut off, and the motor was in high gear. Officers said apparently the man stepped from his car after being shot and fell dead, as the motor stalled.

A witness who heard shots about 5:30 a.m. this morning had been located by officers, who were pressing their investigation.

Hamp Nolan, living a quarter of a mile from the spot where the body was found, told authorities he heard several shots, but was uncertain how many. It was Nolan who found the body and notified authorities.

Reconstructing the killing, Coroner Holman said apparently robbery was the motive for the slaying, but he still was not definitely committed to the theory.

The body was found head down in a ditch, with both hands under it, and the revolver, the butt wrapped in a handkerchief, clasped in the right hand.

Dale County authorities were advised from St. Petersburg that the whereabouts of Harder's wife are unknown. There were no papers in the suitcase carried in the roadster, but it yielded two empty wallets and a picture of Harder and a girl.

CONGRATULATIONS EXTENDED STATE'S OLDEST COUPLE

OPP, Ala., March 16.—"Uncle Levi" Roberts and his wife, "Aunt Amanda," said to be the oldest married couple in the State, are receiving the congratulations of their hundreds of friends as they observe their 69th wedding anniversary.

Although the official celebration was held on March 7, the anniversary day of their marriage, all during the month of March they receive calls from their friends from all over the State.

Mrs. Roberts is 87 years old and was born in Abbeville, Ala. "Uncle Levi" is 92 years old and lived all his life in Alabama. He came to the State in his boyhood with his parents, who settled near Elba.

The couple were married just after the War Between the States. The groom had just ended service in the Confederate army, where he was wounded in action.

The elderly couple moved to Opp 37 years ago and described the town at that time as a "pine thicket with a few houses around it."

MRS. MILFORD COLLIER COMPLIMENTED—

On Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Wiley Blair, Mrs. Wesley Morrow, Mrs. Eva Easters, Miss Sallie Collier and Miss Mildred Parker were joint hostesses with Mrs. Blair, complimenting Mrs. Milford Collier, a recent bride, with a shower tea.

The living room was artistically arranged with smilax, lilies, roses and narcissi, a color scheme of pink and green predominating.

As guests arrived they were received by Miss Sallie Collier and presented to the receiving line, where Mrs. Wesley Morrow, Mrs. Collier, the honoree, Mrs. George Collier, Mrs. Will White, Mrs. Henry Smith, Mrs. Thomas Ward, Mrs. Malcolm Prescott and Mrs. C. E. Dorsey, Jr., welcomed each guest of the afternoon. After passing the receiving line, Miss June English invited guests to the dining room, which was especially attractive in its decorations of pink and green.

The table was over-laid with a lace cloth, centered with the punch bowl, and around its base an arrangement of pink flowers and narcissi. Silver candlesticks holding lighted tapers were placed at intervals.

Dainty sandwiches, punch and mints were served by Misses Sara Nell Clark and Mildred Parker, assisted by Mrs. Frank Blair.

Mrs. Joe Frank Prescott ushered guests to the bride's register, presided over by Miss Laura Alice Lee.

Mrs. T. B. Bryan led the way to the lovely display of gifts, in charge of Mrs. L. P. Mullins, Mrs. John Brunson, Mrs. Dan Parker and Miss Nora Bullock.

The honoree was attired in a becoming gown of rose crepe with matching accessories.

About one hundred guests called between the hours of three and five.

Miss Elizabeth Rowe of Montgomery spent Saturday and Sunday with her mother, Mrs. S. N. Rowe, and family.

About People and Things

By C. B. McDowell

FOLSOM MEETING — A good-sized crowd of Folsom-for-Congress supporters assembled in the Elba circuit court room last Friday night. Speeches were made by Judge J. A. Carnley, F. H. Talbot, John M. Garrett, Frank Rainer and others. All were enthusiastic in their endorsement of James E. Folsom's candidacy for Congress from the Third Congressional District and reported that optimistic reports are being received from all over the district. Judge Carnley urged that all political factionalism be eliminated and the whole county present a united front and put forth every effort to elect the first Coffee Countian who has ever been a candidate for Congress. It is quite generally remarked that seldom if ever before in the history of Elba and Coffee County politics has the absence of factionalism been so conspicuous by its absence. The other speakers voiced similar sentiment and a spirit of enthusiasm and optimism prevailed.

Committees were appointed with the avowed purpose of waging an intensive campaign in Coffee County and throughout the other nine counties of the Third District. Candidate Folsom returned to Elba Tuesday night from a swing about the District and reports an encouraging response from the voters at all points visited.

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FISH SUPPER — The membership contest which has been waged for the past several weeks between the reds and blues, divisions of the members of the Men's Bible Class which meets every Sunday morning in the circuit court room, culminated in a fish supper last Friday night. The victorious reds were sumptuously entertained by the losing but militant Blues. The feast was spread in the American Legion picnic park, on the south side of the public square, a large number of hungry banqueters taking part. After all had eaten to their capacity, there was so much left, visitors were called in to help clean up the fragments.

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ALL IS ROSY—Latest reports indicate that all of the WPA projects in and around Elba will go on to completion and then the levee work will be resumed, probably some time during the late Summer or early Fall. Last week was a time of ups and downs in the barometer of local hopes. Soon after the arrival in Washington of Mayor L. P. Mullins and Prof. J. C. Dixon, who were sent to the Capital by the Elba Chamber of Commerce, a telegram was received here from them that they had successfully interviewed Public Works Director Harry Hopkins and that he had promised them that the levee would be completed. When Mayor Mullins and Professor Dixon returned home Saturday, they found the barometer reading quite low as a result of the following letter received by J. V. Wright, secretary of the Elba Chamber of Commerce, from W. G. Henderson, Director Third District, Works Progress Administration:

"I have just received orders from the State Administrator, Works Progress Administration, directing me to give preference to the Elba levee construction in your county.

"This is to advise that this action will necessitate the closing down of the Armory project at Enterprise, the Armory project at Elba, the Vocational School project at Elba, the three-way Highway project from Elba toward Luverne.

"I am giving you this information so that you, as a sponsor of these projects, may be informed in advance as to further operations in Coffee County."

Disconcerting as this letter was to our citizenship, our go-getting Mayor and City School Superintendent refused to be nonplussed or flabbergasted, so they immediately wired Mr. Hopkins at Washington, informing him of the situation. A telegram from the WPA Director was received at noon Monday assuring them that the projects now in course of construction are to proceed without interruption and that the levee will be completed immediately following. As Mayor Mullins and Prof. Dixon had explained to Mr. Hopkins that there is no immediate danger of a flood at Elba at this season of the year and that the people of Elba will be satisfied to wait until after the projects now in progress are complete, provided assurance is given that the levee work will start at that time.

Mayor Mullins is quoted as stating that 160 men, dragline, power shovel and 30 trucks will be able to complete the levee in 100 working days. With the approximately $140,000 appropriated by Congress and the amount to be contributed by the City of Elba, amounting to something like $160,000, it is the opinion of those in position to judge that the work can be prosecuted to a satisfactory conclusion in time to make our city safe from possible flood waters before the usual rainy season comes.

Thus a condition of gloom has taken on a roseate hue and we are all buoyed up with optimistic hopes.

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BRANCHING OUT — Secretary T. H. Deal announces that the Emergency Aid Life Association, organized and owned by Elba and Coffee County people, has made such a fine success during its first year in business that a branch office has recently been opened in Troy. The Association's second year is opening up with a rush and it is rapidly taking its place as one of the substantial life insurance institutions of the State.

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HEALTH OFFICERS—Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Drew and child arrived Monday from Marion and have moved into Mrs. W. B. Perdue's house, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Byrd Mitchell, Jr., in West Elba. Mr. Drew comes to Elba to take up his duties as County Sanitary Inspector, being associated with his brother-in-law, Dr. H. T. Donovan, county health officer. This puts Coffee County on a full health unit basis. Dr. Donovan is making his home with Mr. and Mrs. Drew.

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BIG DRY MEETING — A large delegation of militant dry voters and drinkers from Elba and other points in Coffee County attended a huge meeting at the Dexter Avenue Methodist Church in Montgomery Tuesday to protest against the proposed referendum to decide whether or not liquor shall be legalized in Alabama. It is reported that the great church was filled to overflowing with dry delegates from 44 counties, Coffee be-

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TWO MORE CONTESTANTS WANT TO GET CUBA TRIP

Mrs. Frank Blair and Fred Russ, both of Elba, entered the contest last week for a free trip to Cuba this Summer. Indications are that these contestants will make the trip, judging by the good start made during the first few days they worked.

The Clipper would like to give away several of these free trips, and it only takes a few weeks of pleasant work to get one. We want some new and renewal subscriptions to The Clipper, and are offering the trip to those who will collect these subscriptions for us. The trip will be made beginning June 14th, and reservations for the trip must be made some time before that date. Those interested should give the matter consideration at once.

LAUREL & HARDY STAR AT ELBA THEATRE TONIGHT

Tonight at the Elba Theatre Stan Laurel and Oliver Hardy are at their very best in their biggest feature length comedy, "Bonnie Scotland," their funniest laff-fest. Sixty minutes of joy, because when Laurel and Hardy join the army, something is going to happen. Tonight for the last time.

Kermit Maynard is featured in "Trails of the Wild," the feature for Friday and Saturday, together with Tom Mix in the 14th chapter of "The Miracle Rider."

Sunday afternoon and night and Monday night, lovely Alice Faye stars in "Music Is Magic," with Ray Walker, Bebe Daniels and Mitchell & Durant. "Music Is Magic" is one of the musical comedy hits of the season.

The bargain shows have proven so popular at the Elba Theatre on Tuesdays that the management can hardly care for the crowds. The Tuesday afternoon and night shows will continue indefinitely at the bargain price of 10c for any one. Next Tuesday, the feature will be "Song and Dance Man," featuring Paul Kelley and Claire Trevor.

Shirley Temple, idol of the screen, Hollywood's sweetheart and America's biggest little actor, in her greatest screen triumph, scores in the hearts of her admirers again as they see her in "The Littlest Rebel," at the Elba Theatre next Wednesday and Thursday, March 25-26, together with John Boles, Jack Holt, Karen Morley and the famous dancing negro, Bill Robinson, together with an unequalled supporting cast.

WPA SEWING PROJECTS IN COUNTY ARE SUSPENDED

The WPA Sewing Project in Coffee County was suspended effective March 15. In closing the doors of these sewing centers, I wish to express appreciation in behalf of the women who worked in them and for myself, to every person who in any way aided or assisted us in carrying the project forward.

Especially are we grateful to the probate judge, the county commissioners, the mayors of the towns of Elba, Enterprise, New Brockton and Kinston, to several firms and business men and to a number of women whose generosity and kindness made the work possible.

MRS. GUSSIE HUTCHISON,
Project Supervisor.

MISS LEE WEDS MR. DEAL AT SIMPLE CEREMONY—

Of interest to their many friends is the marriage of Miss Dixie Lee to Mr. Marvin Harold Deal, which was solemnized Wednesday afternoon, March 18, at the parsonage. Rev. W. J. Hughes, pastor of the Methodist Church, performed the simple ring service in the presence of the immediate families and a few intimate friends.

Baskets of bridal wreath and fern formed a pretty background for the ceremony.

The bride wore a traveling costume of navy triple sheer crepe, with harmonizing accessories.

Mrs. Deal is the lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Lee. She is of brunette type and possesses unusual charm and personality. She received her education in Elba, and college work at State Teachers College, Troy. She has been a popular and efficient member of the faculty of the Kinston school for the past two years.

Mr. Deal is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Deal of our city. He is a graduate of Elba High School and is a young man of splendid character. He holds an important position with Smith Brothers.

Immediately after the ceremony the happy couple left for a short wedding trip to Florida, and on their return will be at home to their many friends in Elba.

Harvey Macon is recovering nicely from a recent appendicitis operation at a Troy hospital, and will soon be able to return to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bonneau, Mrs. Owen, Corinne and Jake Bonneau, and Harry Bonneau Jackson spent last Thursday in Montgomery.

Misses Annie Laurie Bullard, Mary Marsh and Totsye Rhodes and Messrs. Phil Crigler and Edward Seay spent Saturday in Montgomery.

Court Adjourns After Two Day Session; 19 Indictments Returned By Grand Jurors

The non-jury term of the Circuit Court of Coffee County for the Elba Division convened Monday morning, with Judge W. L. Parks presiding. After empaneling the grand jury for the term, Judge Parks consumed practically all the morning session in charging the inquisitorial body as to their duties and the law governing their deliberations.

Cases on the non-jury, equity and appearance dockets were called for hearing during the session Monday afternoon and Tuesday. Late Tuesday afternoon the docket had been cleared so far as possible, the grand jury finished the work on its docket, and the court was adjourned. Nineteen indictments were returned, six being for felonies and thirteen for misdemeanors. Below is a complete report of the body:

To the Honorable W. L. Parks, Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit:

We, the Grand Jury of this County for this Division, empaneled on yesterday for this service, beg leave to submit this as our final report:

We have investigated 41 presentments, and as a result of our investigation herewith hand your Honor 19 indictments, there being 6 felonies and 13 misdemeanors. We have returned indictments in such cases as we deemed it for the public welfare.

Committees from the Grand Jury visited and inspected the court house, jail and almshouse, and find the court house in good state of repair, the books and records of the county officials appear neatly and correctly kept, while the bonds of the various officers are adequate in amount and properly secured. The jail is well-kept and the prisoners are without complaint. There are five window-panes that need replacing, and two toilets are in need of immediate repair. The almshouse is also in excellent condition with the exception of the side entrance porch floor and also the floor of the back porch is in need of repair, three outside pillars need resetting, the front steps should be entirely rebuilt, while about six window-panes need replacement. The roof of the new addition of the almshouse needs attention at once, there being complaints by the inmates. There is an iron bridge across Hayes Creek in the Southwest District near Mr. C. N. Cook's home that is in a dangerous condition and needs immediate repair.

In conclusion, we desire to thank your Honor for your able and patriotic charge, and highly commend your views to the public generally, especially your analysis of the conditions confronting us at the present time. We are again reminded of our patriotic duty to support our laws, our enforcement officers and urge petit jurors to back up the work of grand juries in their efforts to discourage crime in our County. We also express our eppreciation of the invaluable assistance of our Solicitor, Hon. E. C. Orme, who is always so capable and efficient in the discharge of his duties, and in prompt and timely advice so readily given us at all times. We thank the sheriff and his force of efficient deputies in their hearty cooperation in the prompt service of our papers, and also our experienced and accommodating bailiff, Mr. Ernest L. Harper, for his faithful services rendered us. It was a genuine pleasure to work under the guidance of our excellent Foreman, Mr. F. M. Farris, who has served in this capacity heretofore, and we reaped the benefit of his experienced supervision of all phases of our work.

And now, having completed our labors, we ask to be recessed, pending the further orders of the Court.

Respectfully submitted,

F. M. FARRIS, Foreman,
Coffee County Grand Jury.

Elba, Alabama,
March 17th, 1936.

Mrs. F. A. Farris and children have returned from a two weeks visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Mitchell, in Montgomery.

DR. W. M. RINGSDORF HONORED BY DENTAL ASSOCIATION

DOTHAN, March 15.—Meeting in the Houston hotel here Thursday afternoon, dentists of the Third District Dental Association elected Dr. W. M. Ringsdorf, of Elba, to the executive council of the Alabama Dental Society.

Dr. Dupree Davis of Dothan conducted a clinic on gold castings and Dr. J. Y. Folsom of Marianna explained new impression technique.

Dentists failed to mention the "painless" method of tooth extraction purportedly discovered recently by a Columbia University research worker, though some privately expressed opinion that the experiment was a failure.

Dentists attending the meeting were: Dr. D. P. McNair, Ozark; Dr. W. M. Ringsdorf, Elba; Dr. A. M. Robinson, Abbeville; J. E. Simonton, Abbeville; Dr. H. P. Hufham, Eufaula; Dr. J. B. Mills, Ozark; Dr. A. J. Mills, Enterprise; Dr. J. W. Sweeney, Eufaula; Dr. H. A. Hicks, Dr. R. D. McCarty, Dr. J. L. Bracewell, Dr. W. B. Blackshear, Dr. E. N. Passmore and Dr. Dupree Davis, all of Dothan.

N. Y. A. PROGRAM IN COUNTY HAS NOT BEEN DISCONTINU'D

Mrs. Gussie Hutchison, county project supervisor, states that the National Youth Administration program in Coffee County has not been affected by the closing of the WPA Sewing Centers.

Nineteen young women and girls will continue their training work in the centers located at Enterprise, New Brockton and Elba, according to the announcement, and will be engaged in practically the same work as the WPA workers. Those in the NYA projects will only get 46 hours of work per month, which is much less than those on the other projects.

473 HOGS SOLD HERE FRIDAY BRING FARMERS $5,902.94

The cooperative hog sale held in Elba last Friday brought a total of $5,902.94 to the farmers participating in the sale. Although this was not as large a sale as was held two weeks previous, there were 473 hogs in the lot. Number 1 hogs brought $8.00 per hundred and were sold to Swift & Company for shipment to their Moultrie, Ga., plant.

ERROR IN NAME

The Clipper is glad to correct an error we have been making in the political announcement of Mr. Walt M. Godwin, candidate for commissioner in the Northeast district. We have been carrying his name as "M. M. Godwin," and with this issue the correction is being made so that his initials will appear properly.

LAST PAPER FOR SOME

This will be the last issue of The Clipper mailed to a good many subscribers who have not come in and paid their past due subscription accounts and made arrangements for the paper to continue by paying in advance.

For more than a month now we have had a notice in every issue of the paper urging subscribers to get their accounts in order. If you have paid up this month, then your paper will continue; otherwise, this will be the last issue that you will receive. It takes quite a bit of money to produce a paper and we cannot continue mailing The Clipper to those who do not pay for it IN ADVANCE. If you want the paper we trust that you will attend to this matter this week, so that we may continue mailing it to you.

SEED LOANS AVAILABLE

According to announcement just made, seed loans have been made available to farmers of Coffee County for the year 1936 and applications are now being taken at the office of the County Agent in Elba.

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